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Donations sought for family of Ernie Franks

Donations are being accepted by the family of Ernest Franks to be used to offset medical expenses resulting from a recent accident. Franks, 56, and his grand-daughter, Nikki, 12, were involved in a vehicle collision at the intersection of Deep Lake Rd. and Hwy. 173 on Nov. 12. The collision also involved the party believed to have robbed the Walgreens pharmacy located at the intersection of Hwys. 83 and 173 in Antioch.

Franks and his family have been lifelong residents of Antioch. He is self-employed as an independent trucker and is involved in Linden-Villa Baptist Church on Deep Lake Rd. Franks spent a considerable amount of time on life support in the Intensive Care Unit at Lutheran General Hospital in Park Ridge. He was released last week in time to spend Christmas with his family. He is still in close contact with his doctors and the hospital.

Donations to offset the burden of medical expenses may be mailed to the Franks Family Fund, P.O. Box 4194, Antioch, IL 60002. Contact Margaret Franks at 395-5340 for more information.

Anthropologist to make historical presentation

Our past can offer more than meets the eye

By JULIE MURPHY
Staff Reporter

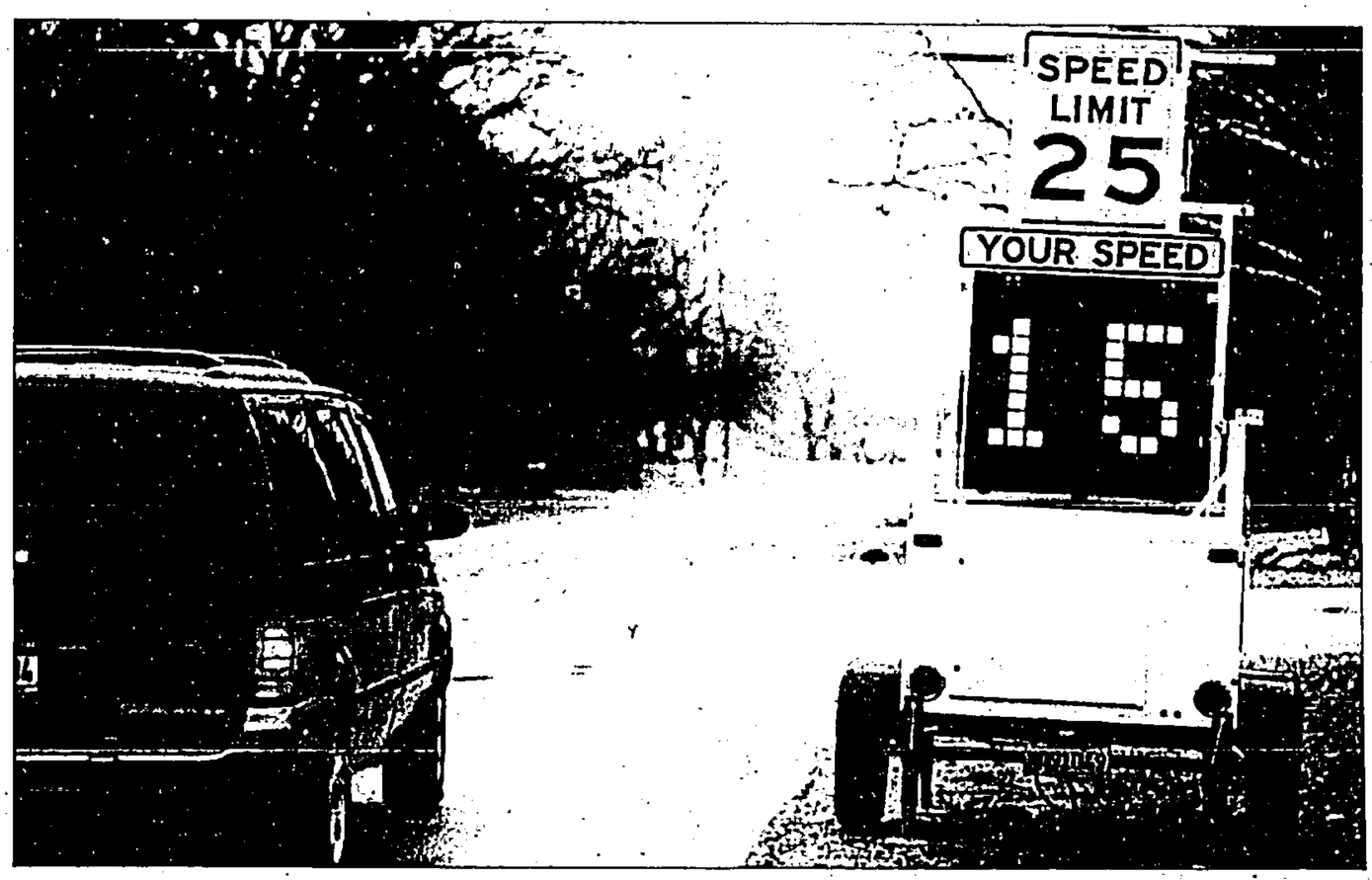
Old outhouse sites offer more than meets the eye when it comes to unearthing the history of days past. Anthropologist Craig Pfannkuche will give a slide presentation on the archaeology of outhouse waste pits called "Digging Grandma's Privy" in an event sponsored by the Antioch Public Library on Jan. 17, in the Maplethorpe Room at 884 Main St. at 7 p.m.

Adult services librarian Amy Blue said, "We are interested in local history programs. There is a lot of interest in the subject, and he (Pfannkuche) came highly recommended."

The slide show presentation will be about the dig of a stagecoach stop after the civil war. The artifacts from this dig have gone to a museum, but Pfannkuche will artifacts from other digs at the presentation.

"A lot more than human waste was poured down the privy," said Pfannkuche. "It was sometimes seen as a garbage pit for smaller things that needed disposing of." He said dishes, silverware and bottles are common artifacts, but that toys, corsets, money

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Digital signs monitoring drivers' speeds, similar to this one in Grayslake, will grace the streets of Lake Villa and Lindenhurst in March. The signs warn drivers of the speed limit in the area in which they are driving and the speed in which they are going.—*File photo by Sandy Bressner*

Put on those brakes

Municipalities trying to slow drivers down, keep streets safer

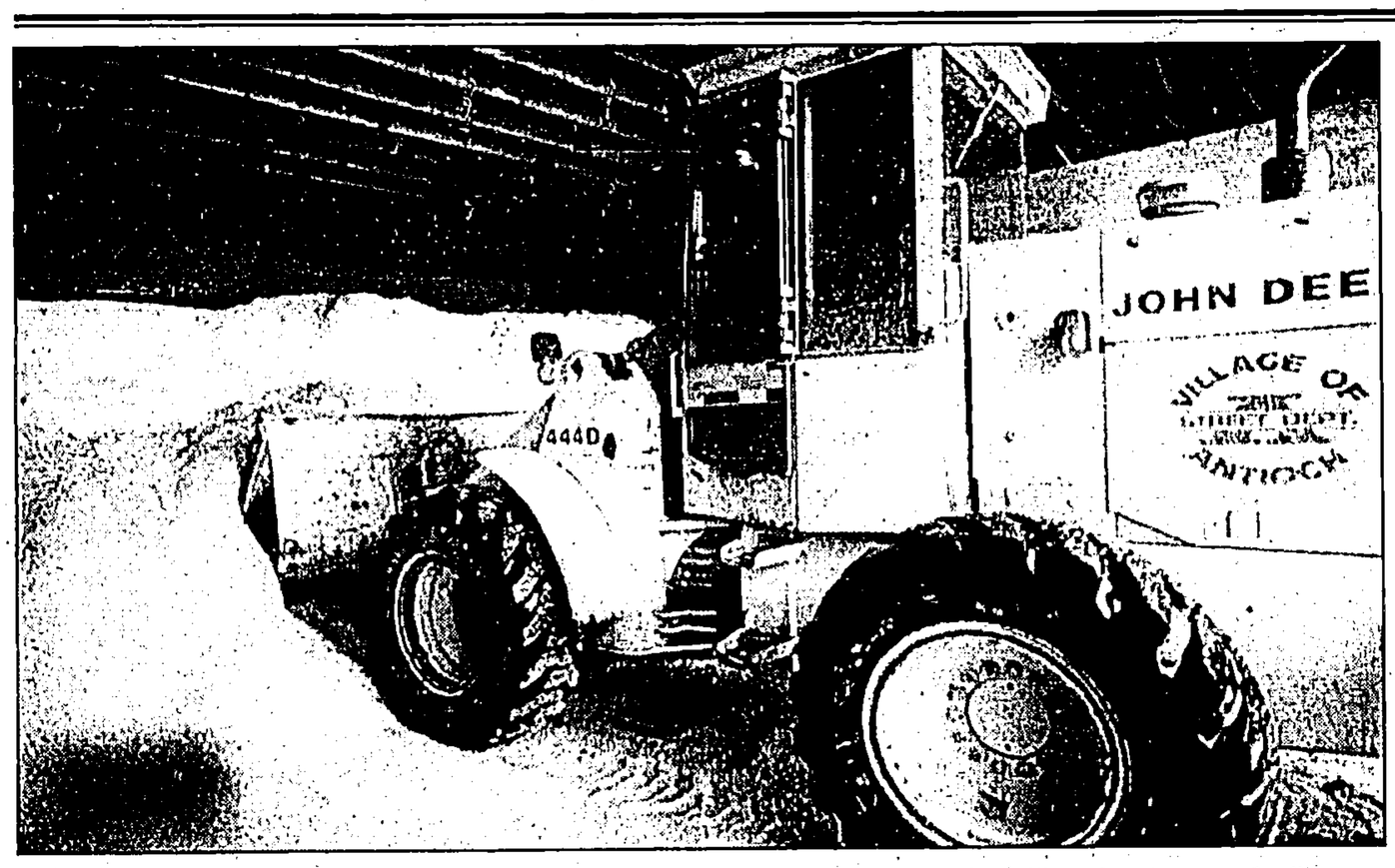
Lake Villa and Lindenhurst, in co-operation with Hainesville-Round Lake Park and the Round Lake Area Park District Police plan to purchase, in partnership, a portable roadside speed monitor. The unit will most likely be deployed sometime in early March.

The monitor, a large LED display unit, will be placed at main thoroughfares, or wherever there have been speeding complaints. As motorists approach the monitor, it provides them with a reading of their speed, encouraging drivers to check their speedometers and slow down.

The unit, which normally sells for about $12-13,000, is 3 years old, and in "like new" condition. It is now owned by Veto Enterprises, a police equipment supplier in Sycamore, Ill. The used unit will cost $7,000.

The cost and use time will be divided between the four entities, with each village paying $1,500 and the park district paying $1,000.

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Mike Gliniewicz of the Antioch Streets Department loads salt from the village's storage facility on Holbek Dr. in Antioch. Village crews are still working to eliminate piles of snow that have accumulated.—*Photo by Sandy Bressner*

Salt supply holding out

Harsh winter weather hasn't affected Antioch as much as some other towns

By JULIE MURPHY
Staff Reporter

Mother Nature hasn't provided any breaks to help the public works department eliminate the piles of snow, but the salt is holding out and work continues.

According to Antioch streets commissioner Joe Huber, "We are at about 70 percent (capacity) with the salt. We could use another 200 tons."

Huber explained that though the salt has been ordered, there is a delivery delay because a bridge was "blown out" in Milwaukee.

"We get our salt from Milwaukee," he said. "It usually takes seven working days to receive delivery, but with the bridge out, they have to take an alternate route that takes longer. I'm calling every day or say to keep track of things."

Huber said crews continue efforts to keep the mountains of snow from overtaking the village. He said, "We can move snow everyday. We do the downtown sidewalks first and then move on to corners and parking lots. It's been difficult to keep mailboxes clear."

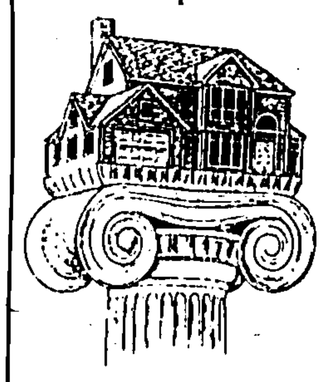
He continued, "If we could catch a break and have five days without snow, and some warmer weather in the 30s, that would take care of about 25 percent of the snow."

Huber reports there have been very few complaints, and that residents have "hung in there."

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JINGLE FROM PRINGLE

Lynn Pringle

With the holiday hoop-la tucked away for yet another year—moms and dads can take a much needed rest from related frustrations like toy assembly. In households across the country "Sticker Shock" has taken on a new meaning. Once a coined phrase referring to the price on the window of a new car, it is now a medical condition showing up in emergency rooms. It is the comatose state that is a direct result of parents trying to figure out where all the stickers go on any given toy manufactured by Mattel, Fisher Price, Playskool, Little Tyke, Step 2, Hot Wheels and Tonka.

Where dads once stayed up until the wee hours of the morning assembling bicycles, Lionel Train sets and baby carriages, they now find themselves faced with full schematic drawings of a toy with little numbers and arrows pointing to various parts and accessories. These little numbers correspond to numbers on an enormous sheet of paper containing 943 stickers that you have to place in the appropriate position on the new toy.

Parents everywhere spent the better part of Christmas day dissecting these complex and complicated, sticky little pieces of shiny paper. And don't be dipping into the Egg Nog while trying to attach these stickers, because you need a steady hand and only have one chance at getting it in the right place, correctly. If you accidentally put the "Barbie" emblem on the front of the jeep crooked—don't even think you will be able to rip that puppy off and affix it straight. You have a better chance of removing red dye from white underwear. Also, if you aren't careful, you will get a little bubble or ripple in the freshly applied sticker, and forget it—it isn't going to come off so you can re-apply it, and the toys owner will whine for hours. Another major factor is the sheet size of adult fingers. With our full size appendages we have a hard enough time getting a self-stick postage stamp in the correct corner of a full size envelope, they were just not made to accommodate teeny tiny Hot Wheel oil can stickers.

Barbie's new airplane has 54 stickers from a 12 inch floral decal that spreads along the entire side of the plane, to an itty-bitty little round pink "B" that covers the itty-bitty screw holding on the front wheel.

The Fisher Price doll house has about 106 stickers, from a 6 by 6 inch sheet of wallpaper for the nursery, to individual pin-head size stickers of peas. Oh and these obnoxious little pieces of gummed paper aren't unique to little girl toys, the Hot Wheel Car Wash has just as many stickers to adhere sealed in those little plastic bags containing the parts and accessories. So to all us parents who have crossed eyes, crooked Playskool stickers and teary-eyed toddlers, next year just have Santa bring safer toys, like scooters and BB-guns.

And so goes another "Jingle from Pringle."

Readers with information for "Jingle from Pringle" should call Lynn Pringle at 395-6364.

Health facilities to offer free trials

By BRENDA BALIN-BEITSCHER
Staff Reporter

Two local health and fitness facilities are offering open house events this month.

The Hastings Lake YMCA, located at 20517 Grass Lake Rd. in Lake Villa will be holding a membership sale until Jan. 14.

"We'll be taking $50 off the joining fee for new members," explained Jerome Flasch, building supervisor and aquatic director at the YMCA. "The one-time fee for a family is $135, but during the sale, it will be $85. The fee for an adult membership is usually $100, but it will be $50 during the sale."

The monthly fees at the YMCA are $48 per month for families and $33 per month for adult memberships.

On Jan. 14 from 1-5 p.m. prospective members can "try before they buy" at the YMCA open house. Visitors will have free use of the weight and exercise room as well as the pool. Child care will be available. Refreshments will be served. "We'll open the toboggan hill, as well," noted Flasch.

For more information about the YMCA open house, call 356-4006.

The Lake Forest Health and Fitness Institute of Lindenhurst celebrates its first anniversary with several special activities.

From Jan. 20-31 there will be daily tours of the facility, with special gifts and incentives for signing up during the anniversary celebration.

On Jan. 24 at 5:30 p.m. a kickboxing class will be open to the public. Visitors should come dressed in workout gear.

The Lindenhurst Health and Fitness Institute is located on Rte. 45, one mile north of Rte. 132.

For more information about the facility and the open house activities, call 535-7500.

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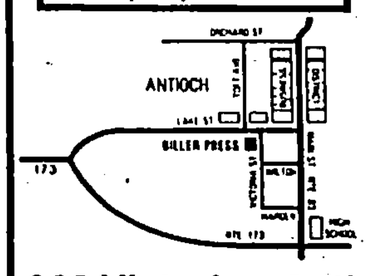
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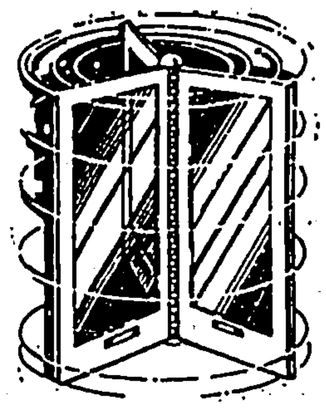
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Report card good for Lake Villa Dist. 41

By BRENDA BALIN-BEITSCHER
Staff Reporter

Although parental involvement is high at Lake Villa Community Consolidated School Dist. 41 schools, performance rates in certain academic areas are still slightly below state averages, according to the Illinois School Report Card for the school year 1999-2000.

The school reports cards are issued annually, rating each public school in the state. The report, made available to parents and others upon request, contains information about the school's standings on the Illinois Standards Achievement Test (ISAT) and shows the percentage of students meeting the state's standards in reading, writing, mathematics, science and social studies.

The district, overall, has a total enrollment of 2,799— 869 at Palombi Middle School, 525 at Pleviak Elementary, 682 at Hooper Elementary and 687 at Thompson Elementary.

Attendance throughout the district is high, at 94.8 percent in the district, compared with 93.9 percent statewide. The chronic truancy rate is .3 percent, compared with the state's rate of 2.4 percent.

Parental involvement, which includes parent-teacher conferences, visits to the school, visits from the school to the home, phone conversations and written correspondence was at 100 percent throughout the district, with Hooper parental involvement slightly lower, at 99.6 percent. The state figure was 97.2 percent.

Achievement tests are given in reading, writing and math at third, fifth and eighth grades. The scores are categorized as level 1 (academic warning), level 2 (below standard), level 3 (meets standard) and level 4 (exceeds standard).

In reading, Dist. 41 schools showed 72 percent of third-graders, 75 percent of fifth-graders, and 72 percent of eighth-graders reading at or above standard grade level. Statewide, the rate was 62 percent for third-graders, 59 percent for fifth-graders, and 72 percent for eighth-graders.

In math, 79 percent of third-graders, 77 percent of fifth-graders, and 39 percent of eighth-graders were at or above standard. Statewide, the rate was 69 percent for third-graders, 57 percent for fifth-graders, and 47 percent for eighth-graders.

Explaining the lag in math performance at the eighth-grade level, Dist. 41 Supt. Dr. Michael Anderson noted the shortage of qualified math teachers— a need the board has been addressing.

He also pointed out that the eighth-graders were the last group of tested students who did not experience a full eight years of the "every day" math program currently used throughout the Illinois school systems.

"We expect this year's students to achieve higher scores," he said.

In writing tests, 48 percent of third-graders were at or above state standards. The rate was 85 percent of fifth-graders and 62 percent of eighth-graders. Statewide, there were 55 percent of third-graders, 71 percent of fifth-graders and 70 percent of eighth-graders writing at or above standard grade level.



Just having fun

Thirteen-year-old Nick Mastrodonato of Antioch tries a snowboard at the sled hill at Lake Villa Township's Caboose Park.—*Photo by Sandy Bressner*

American Legion gives $10,000 to ACHS

By JULIE MURPHY
Staff Reporter

American Legion Post 748 presented the Antioch Community High School with a $10,000 endowment check to benefit students who are descendants of war veterans.

Supt. Dennis Hockney said, "The proceeds of the investment of this $10,000 will be available to students who are descendants of war veterans for post-secondary education."

Hockney explained that the money will be made available in the form of a scholarship. Eligible students can apply for scholarship money through the guidance office.

"It's nice that our students will be able to benefit from the donation of this endowment check," Hockney added.

Free hearing, developmental screening for children 3-5

By JULIE MURPHY
Staff Reporter

There will be a free hearing and developmental screening test for 3-5 year-olds who are not yet in kindergarten on Jan. 29-31 at the Antioch Lower Grade School on Main St.

"We're calling the screening Preschool Roundup," said Sue Gehring, coordinator of special education for Antioch Community Consolidated School Dist. 34. "This screening does not include vision testing, that is done later."

According to Gehring, a speech therapist will work with child through some exercises after the child has had an opportunity to acclimate. "Parents will get immediate feedback from the therapist," she said.

Appointments are being scheduled in one-half hour time slots. "Between talking with the parents, giving the child an opportunity to settle in and the exercises, the whole thing should take about 30 minutes," Gehring explained.

Appointments can be made by calling 838-8614.

Antioch postcard unveiled by Chamber

The Chamber of Commerce and Industry has put Antioch's first postcard into production. The postcard depicts summer and winter scenes of the Hiram Buttrick Sawmill.

"Postcards will be available to merchants in the second half of January," said executive director of the Chamber Barbara Porch.

She added that Chamber has plans to create more postcards of Antioch in the future. "We're always looking for great pictures of Antioch," said Porch. "I'm sure people have wonderful pictures, we just don't always have access to them."

Anyone who has a picture of Antioch and feels it would make a good postcard can send them to the Chamber in care or Porch. "I'm sure we (the Chamber) can come up with gift certificates, or something good to offer, for permission to use a picture."

The Chamber is located at 884 Main St. The phone number is 395-2233.

Help out with snow removal



OUR TOWN

Julie Murphy

We've had snow on the ground for so long now it's easy to get a little bit lazy about doing our part to aid in snow removal efforts. For safety reasons, it's important not to let this happen.

The Antioch Fire Dept. is asking for help with its "Adopt a Fire Hydrant" program. If you know of a hydrant on or near your property, please take a few extra minutes to dig it out.

In the event of a fire, firefighters' valuable time is better spent fighting the blaze and reducing loss to fire than digging out a hydrant. Minutes matter.

Please make sure the hydrant is both visible and accessible from the street. This good deed will benefit the entire neighborhood.

Also remember that snow plowing begins after one inch of snow accumulates on the ground. No parking is allowed on village streets until the removal has been completed.

Finally, no plowing, snow blowing or shoveling snow onto village streets is permitted.

Problems (or compliments for a job well done) should be addressed to either the Village Hall 395-1000 or public works 395-1881.

The Antioch Junior Women's Club (AJWC) is accepting applications for its $500 community scholarship.

Each year AJWC offers the scholarship award to any male or female who resides in Antioch township, is a full-time student at a two or four-year college, or who intends to enroll on a full-time basis.

The applications are available now at the Antioch Village Hall, Antioch Community High School and at Carmel High School. Applications must be completed and postmarked by March 15 for consideration.

For additional information, call Phyllis Fay at 395-1421 ext. 216.

The Northern Lake County Christian Women's Club luncheon will be held on Jan. 11 at Maravela's Restaurant in Fox Lake at noon.

The speaker will be Sharon Hatton, and Shannon Kurtz will sing. The cost for the event is $10. Free nursery is provided for children under 10 years old upon reservation.

Reservations can be made by calling 838-2384, or 356-2533.

Information about the club can be received by calling 265-0320, or 395-0783.

The regular meeting of the combined planning commission and zoning board scheduled for Jan. 11 has been cancelled due to lack of agenda.

If you have interesting information or anecdotes to submit for "Our Town" call staff reporter Julie Murphy at 223-8161, ext. 600 or e-mail, jmurphy@lakelandmedia.com



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and weapons are not uncommon.

"Some things went into the privy by accident," said Pfannkuche. "If a wallet slipped out of a man's pocket, he wasn't just going to go after it."

Other things were buried on purpose. "If you were mad at your brother, you might hide his favorite toy in the privy," said Pfannkuche. "If you broke one of grandma's dishes and didn't want to tell her about it, that might go in the privy, too."

Pfannkuche explained that the interest in digging up these sites is to find out how people lived. To Pfannkuche, these "treasure pits" are little capsules of knowledge and information. "Did Abraham Lincoln view himself as a rich man or as a poor man?" asked Pfannkuche rhetorically. "We can find out based on what he threw away- the type of dishes he used, and about the types of meals he ate (based on animal bone fragments that may be found."

He describes the digs as standard archeology. "We map it, photograph it, record it, analyze and report it," he said. "The southwest corner is called the datum, and we draw maps every couple of inches down based on that."

According to Pfannkuche, some people are privy diggers who make money off of their finds by selling things to antique dealers. "We have an archeological ethic. We do this for the scientific and historic benefit."

"It's not distasteful if we think about it in terms of family history."

BRAKES

"We're still looking for the last $1,500," said Mike Greise, the park district police chief. He noted that while the final share might come from another police department, the joined police forces would welcome a private donation from an individual, corporation or civic organization.

Each police department will have the use of the unit for 8-10 non-contiguous weeks throughout the year. The time will be divided proportionally according to the amount of money contributed.

The park district will be the owner of record, and will be responsible for maintenance and physical placement of the unit in locations designated by each police chief.

The advantage of the monitor is that it allows police to control traffic without a manned presence. It has been observed that drivers slow down in the presence of the devices.

"The monitor takes away the onus of getting a citation," noted Lindenhurst Police Chief Jack McKeever.

Hainesville-Round Lake Park Police Chief Bruce Johnson responding to the notion that, in years past, Hainesville had a "speed trap" reputation, pointed out that, in the year-and-a-half that he has been chief of the combined police forces, the governing philosophy of traffic stops has been "for the safety and education of drivers."

Benefit for
Ernie Franks & Family

Donations are currently being accepted by the family of Ernie Franks to help offset his enormous medical expenses. Mr. Franks was injured in a two car collision on Sunday evening, November 12. Ernie is insured, but due to the serious nature of his injuries, any additional help will be greatly appreciated!

Donations may be mailed to the Franks Family Fund, P.O. Box 4194, Antioch, IL 60002. Contact Margaret Franks at (847) 395-5340 for more information.

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Driving while suspended

Karey A. Jankowiak, 29, of 23601 124th Place in Trevor, Wis., was arrested for driving with a suspended driver's license on Dec. 27 at 12:20 p.m. on westbound North Ave. at Lakewood Dr.

Police observed a gold Chevy Monte Carlo traveling at high rate of speed and locked it at 45 mph in a posted 30-mph zone. Jankowiak's identifiers were checked through LEADS and returned with her driver's license being suspended in Illinois.

She was arrested and transported to the Antioch Police Dept. where she was put through booking procedures and issued citations for speeding, driving while suspended and operation of an uninsured motor vehicle.

No valid driver's license

Gustavo Ponce, 28, of 6500 Highway 50 in Lake Geneva, Wis., was arrested for driving with no valid driver's license on Dec. 26 at 8:58 p.m. on Rte. 173 at the intersection of Rte. 83.

Police observed a red vehicle stopped in front of the squad car at the intersection of Rte. 173 and Rte. 83 when it suddenly turned right onto northbound Rte. 83 without using its turn signal.

The officer followed the vehicle and witnessed it cross over the yellow centerline, and back into its own lane of traffic.

The driver of the vehicle was advised of the reason for the stop, and Ponce provided the officer with a Wisconsin driver's license. When it was checked through LEADS it came back as revoked.

Ponce was arrested and transported to the Antioch Police Dept. where he was put through booking procedures and issued citations for failure to signal, improper lane usage and no valid driver's license. He was released on cash bond pending his Jan. 24 court date in Grayslake.

DUI

Gary R. Richard, 49, of 393 Johelia in Antioch, was arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol on Dec. 25 at 5:29 p.m.

Police were dispatched to the parking lot of 915 Toft on complaint of a verbal argument. When the officers spoke with the suspect, Richard who was behind the wheel and in physical control of his vehicle, they detected the strong odor of alcoholic beverage on his breath.

The officers requested Richard exit the vehicle for field sobriety tests. He was unable to successfully complete the testing.

Richard was read his Miranda Rights, and refused any chemical testing though he told police he consumed 4-5 beers before driving his vehicle. He was released on a personal recognizance bond pending his Jan. 16 court date.

DUI/possession of cannabis, paraphernalia

James E. Esteb II, 26, of 23725 127th in Trevor, Wis. was arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol, and for the unlawful possession of cannabis and drug paraphernalia on Dec. 24 at 3:33 a.m. on Rte. 83 north of Orchard.

Police observed a black Dodge Carryall stuck in a large snow bank. The vehicle had its engine running, and the subject was stumbling outside the driver's side door.

As the officer spoke with Esteb, he detected the strong odor of alcoholic beverage on his breath, and noted he had difficulty standing and maintaining his balance.

Esteb told police he had been drinking, and his Miranda rights were read to him. He also told police he had been driving. Esteb failed all field sobriety tests.

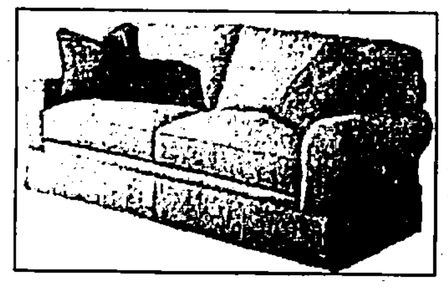
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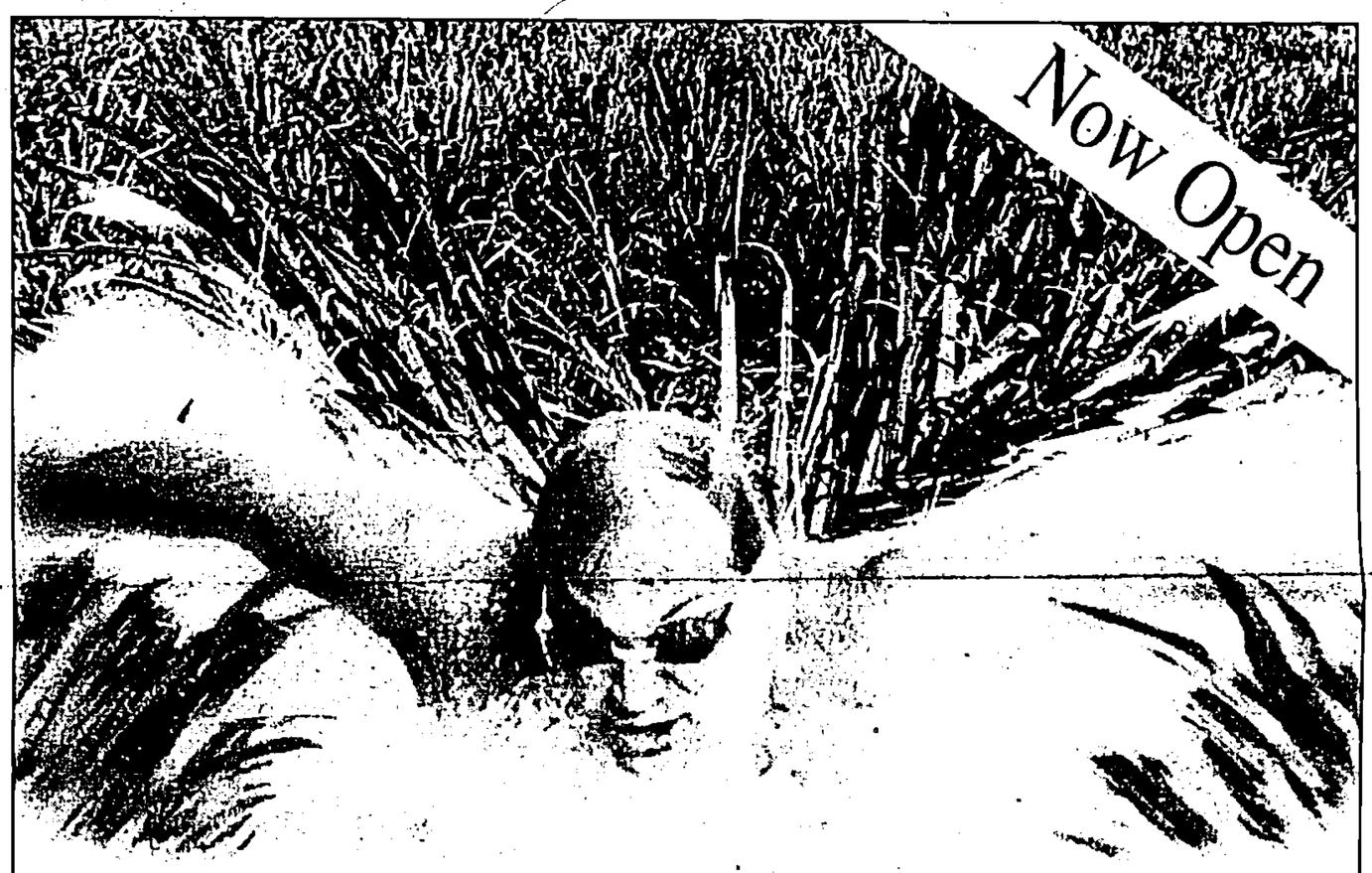
Esteb was arrested and transported to the Antioch Police Dept. where he was issued citations for improper lane usage, driving under the influence of alcohol with a blood alcohol concentration of .17, the unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia and the unlawful possession of cannabis.

He was released on personal recognizance pending his Jan. 16 court date.

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What's on tap!

As far as sports in our area is concerned, the year 2000 certainly didn't disappoint.

Many rose to the occasion while a handful of others could be classified as overachievers, albeit on the youth, prep or the collegiate levels.

And the new year is looking like it will produce more of the same. We start in January, where a handful of youth events takes center stage. Come out and see some of the area's finest aspiring athletes.

Here's a look.

• The College of Lake County is announcing their 11th Annual Grade School Cheerleading Competition, to be held at the Grayslake Campus on Sunday, Jan. 14, 2001, beginning at 1:30 p.m.

Squads may consist of students from sixth, seventh and eighth-grades. Again this season, there will be two separate divisions, as long as there are at least eight squads at the eighth-grade level and six squads at the seventh-grade level. There is a $50 entry fee for each squad participating. Trophies and awards will be presented and CLC is hoping your respective school is up for the competition!

Last year, Viking Junior High in Gurnee claimed first-place in the eighth-grade competition. Northwood Junior High (Highland Park) was second, followed by Woodland Middle School (Gurnee) in third.

On the seventh-grade level, Woodland Middle School took first, followed by St. Gilbert's in Grayslake, and St. Bede's in Ingleside third.

Please return your entry form along with entry fee no later than Jan. 5, 2001. Checks should be made payable to College of Lake County. Multiple squads may enter. Upon receipt of your entry fee and form, you will be sent a complete competition packet, which will include all rules, regulations, scoring procedures, etc.

Any further questions or requests for entry forms can be directed towards Sue Garcia, Competition Coordinator, at 543-2592 or 543-2483.

• Registration for 2001 Antioch Youth Baseball will be on Saturday, Jan. 20 from 12 noon-5 p.m. and Wednesday, Jan. 24 from 6-9 p.m. at the Antioch Village Hall, Toft Ave. entrance. New players need to bring a copy of their birth certificate.

There will be a discount of $20 per player if signed up on above dates. If you do not register on the above dates, you will not be guaranteed entry.

Raffle tickets to be sold will be issued at registration for partial fee reimbursement. No raffle tickets will be issued after the above dates.

Team practice times and days are set by the coaches after teams are selected. Most teams are selected in March or April. The days that games are played are determined at a later date.

The ages listed below are the age of your child prior to Aug. 1.

For further information, call Lisa Kent at 395-5288 or visit at the web site-www.antiochyouthbaseball.org.

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Rookie League, ages 5-6, $95; "AA" League, ages 7-8, $95; "AAA" League, ages 9-10, $110; Junior League, ages 11-12, $110; Travel Team, ages 13-14, $200.

• And, be on the lookout for a Lakeland Predator Youth wrestling event coming to a town near you.

The Predators are comprised of youth wrestlers representing areas such as Fox Lake, Ingleside, Wauconda, McHenry, Lake Villa and Antioch.

The Predators will be traveling to Peoria for the IKWF Kids Open Jan. 14. Matches are scheduled to start at 9 a.m.

Mark down Sunday, Jan. 21 on the calendar as the Predators will be hosting its own Predator Open, to be held at Grant Community High School. The event, won by the Predators last year, will feature teams from all over Northern Illinois. Matches will again start approximately around 9 a.m.

John Phelps can be reached at (847) 223-8161, ext. 132; fax (847) 223-8810; or e-mail at edit@lnd.com.

Look who's next for Sequoit boys hoops team

By JOHN PHELPS
Sports Editor

The common theme for holiday tournaments usually centers around stamina and endurance. It also doesn't hurt to win a few games along the way.

The Antioch varsity boys basketball team seemed to achieve all of the above during its fourth-place finish at the 12-team Rockford Tournament.

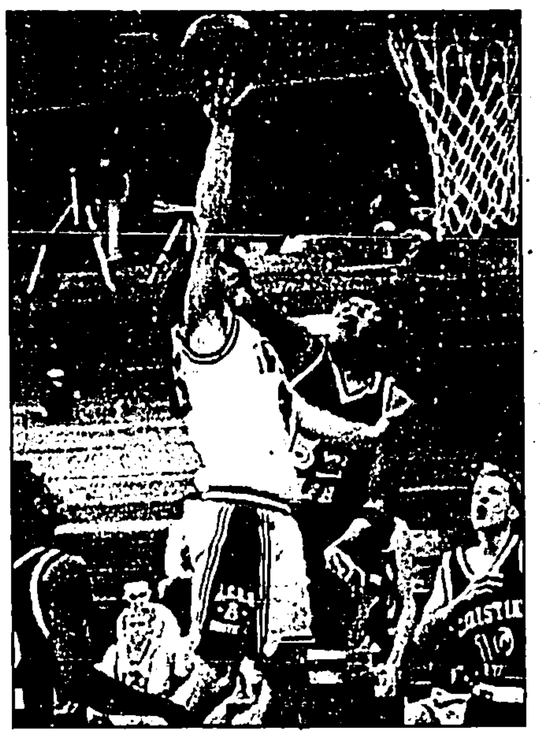
"We're fairly satisfied with finishing 3-2," said head coach Jeff Dresser. "We maintained our poise and finished strong in most of the games."

All of the aforementioned ingredients will definitely have to be in high gear when the Sequoits travel to always-tough Warren Jan. 5 at 7:30 p.m. The game will most likely be for a share of the North Suburban Lake Division lead as Warren and Antioch currently stand at 2-1.

"I think we match up well with them (Warren)," said Dresser on his team, which split a pair of games with the reigning conference champs a year ago.

"We know we'll have to play quality basketball. We just don't want to go in there and fall flat on our face. It's definitely a key game and a big one for that matter."

One of the several gentlemen that played some quality basketball in Rockford included senior guard Eric White, who averaged 16 points over five games and was justly rewarded by being named to the All-Tournament team.



Antioch's Eric White goes up for two against Christian Life during the Rockford Tournament.—*Photo by Steve Young.*

"Eric has been the primary go-to guy for us," said Dresser. "He shot very well (over 50 percent from 2-point range) most of the tournament."

Senior forward Ari Brown has been a nice complement to White. Brown tallied over 13 points per clip in Rockford.

Jeff Huebner (six ppg in Rockford) has also posed a threat inside, as did Eric Langner, Josh Bonner and Tom Woodruff.

"We had a lot of success rotating those three in the post," said Dresser. "They all gave us some quality minutes."

And all three will have their hands full when they go up against the front-court of Warren's Mark Klemm and Aaron Moore.

But it ultimately comes down to execution, and Langner proved that in Rockford, going 6-for-6 from the field in a victory over Rockford Jefferson.

"They (Warren) prides themselves on defense," said Dresser. "We've been executing on offense but need to get better defensively."

But look for Adam Durham and Brian Walsh as possible X-factors against the Devils.

Following Warren, the road doesn't get any easier for the Sequoits, who sport an 8-4 overall record.

Antioch travels to Mundelein Jan. 12, Zion-Benton Jan. 13, Lake Forest Jan. 19 and Waukegan Jan. 20. The next home contest will be against Stevenson Jan. 30 at 7:30 p.m.

"We have a tough stretch ahead of us," said Dresser. "Concentrating and focusing on the road are more difficult. But by the end of January, we should have a pretty good idea of where we stand."

Former Purdue standout visits area youth camp

By B.A. CARDONI
Correspondent

Grayslake Park District hosted the North Shore Basketball Camp over the holiday break. The camp, held at Grayslake High School the week of Dec. 24-30, turned out to be a big hit with area youngsters. The camp is endorsed by former Purdue Big Ten champ Everette Stephens, who also takes a hands on role in teaching and coaching the participants. Following Purdue, Stephens had a brief run as a point-guard with the NBA's Indiana Pacers but has been involved with mentoring kids through camps such as this one for many years.

"After I left the NBA I was able to spend time teaching kids the game," said Stephens during the camp's last day Dec. 30. "What I learned was that it's an opportunity to teach them to achieve their goals so they can reach for their dreams."

Stephens brother, Tony, owner of the North Shore Camp that was established 11 seasons ago in Evanston, has witnessed his brother's effect on youngsters. " He is a people person. He's most comfortable with kids. He has a great way of knowing how to relate to them," Tony said. "Having him as an icon of this organization has opened doors for us to establish a long term record for reaching out to the community. Tony also enjoys the opportunity to coach at the camps.

Geneel Edwards, Recreation Supervisor for the Grayslake Park District, coordinated the registration for the camp. Edwards stated that this was the first year of her organizations involvement with North Shore, but based on its popularity, would evaluate the possibilities of participation in the Camp's future visits.

"The kids are having a great time and benefiting from coaches with professional experience," Edwards said.

Camp player for the "Raptors," Rollin Idlas, is a student at Avon and confirmed that the Camp is a beneficial activity. "I learned better offense strategies this week," Idlas said. Boys and girls ages 8-14 from Grayslake and surrounding communities were invited to participate.

North Shore's mission combines philosophies such as discipline, teamwork and sportsmanship along with basketball fundamentals and technique. Camp player Kristi Durlak, a sixth-grader at Gavin South Middle School, showed that basketball is not for boys only by converting many lay-ups during the lay-up drills portion of the camp.

"I got better at dribbling and ball control. I really want to come back next year," she said. Durlack also racked up awards for exceptional defense abilities.

During the awards ceremony at the closing of the Camp the emphasis was on the part of the mission of the North Shore staff to become aware of personal obstacles and learn how to overcome them with natural strength and ability. In addition to the winners awards of plaques and medallions, students received certificates for individual achievements and souvenirs of their experience.

Everett Stephens also spoke to the students and their parents after the ceremony and expressed that commitment is the most important aspect of achieving their goals.

"From start to finish I was really impressed with this group of kids and their competitiveness, but I was also truly amazed to see them compete with such great sportsmanship. Everyone can be proud of the improvements made in just one week but to take it to another level you have to make the commitment," he said.

"I literally slept with a basketball to get to the next level," he said. "Just remember, sometimes you're the star and sometimes your the last on the bench; that's just another opportunity for improvement. There is always room for improvement no matter how good you are and the opportunities will come; if you keep working hard, you keep your dreams alive."

Everett Stephens keeps his dream alive as a PE teacher and basketball coach at Elgin Academy. He was assisted by his six-year old son Kendall.

ACHS girls' offense shines, then struggles at McHenry

By STEVE PETERSON
Staff Reporter

The first two games of the McHenry girls Christmas tournament was a night-and-day comparison for Antioch's game plan on offense.

Everything clicked in the first game, a 56-32 thrashing of Rockford Guilford. Antioch appeared headed to a 2-0 start and a good standing in pool play before McHenry put the clamps on Antioch's height advantage in a nightmarish fourth quarter. McHenry held on for a 48-44 win.

"We did what we wanted to do in the first game, that is, to get the ball inside to our post players," said ACHS coach Don Zeman.

That would be 6-1 Shelley Wolfgram, and 6-1 Eric Brown. They both scored nine points. Senior Justine Sinkus gave the Sequoits a third weapon and responded with 13 points.

Antioch led by as many as seven points in the second half against McHenry. The Sequoits still had a six-point lead when Brown hit a 10-footer with 4:22 left. That is when the scoring stopped against the home Warriors, who used pressure on the perimeter to force turnovers and made free throws in a 14-6 fourth quarter run.

"You can't let a team have that many free throws. We seemed to be step slow in rebounding," Zeman said.

McHenry, led by 8-14 by Nicole Marzano and 5-6 from Shelby Horgan, finished 17-26. Antioch was 11-15 at the charity stripe.

Wolfgram and Brown led the Sequoits with 12 points each.

"We gave ourselves a chance to win at the end. We wanted to get on a roll this week. Now we have to win the next two games to do so. We usually played good defense, except for the fouling," Zeman said.,

Wolfgram, a senior, averages 9 points and 10 rebounds a game for the Sequoits, 4-9 overall. "I told her we would like to see more scoring out of her and have her be a little more aggressive rebounding. We'll go as far as our post players will take us," Zeman said.

Antioch's fortunes could be told on the first two possessions. McHenry converted two turnovers into easy lay-ups. But Antioch showed balance on offense, and went on a 10-4 run. Bethany Shore (six points) hit an outside jumper and Starla Williams (four points) tipped home a miss for a 14-11 lead.

After a tie at half-time, Antioch came out and looked like it was one or two baskets from a huge lead. Brown had a hand in the first 12 points, baskets, with two assists and a soft jumper as the lead grew to seven points, 34-27.

McHenry began to reach the free-throw line often in the second half of the third quarter. A 7-4 run set the tone for the nightmarish fourth quarter for Antioch.

Afterward, Zeman expressed confidence his team would come back from a close loss. "Another one that got away," he said, as the team had experienced before.

The Sequoits followed the script with a 52-42 win over North Chicago. Brown had 17 points and Wolfgram 12. ACHS led 15-7 after one. The Sequoits lost a close contest for third place, though, and finished the tourney 2-2.

Tollway reminds winter drivers to drive defensively

The Illinois State Toll Highway Authority is reminding motorists to drive defensively this winter and to reduce speed to match traffic and road conditions.

"We encourage all motorists to be prepared for winter driving conditions," said Executive Director Thomas Cuculich. "It's important to adjust your driving habits with the road conditions, and to be aware of the other driver who may not be taking the proper precautions."

Motorists should be sure to keep a close eye on the other cars on the road and to anticipate unexpected moves from other motorists. It is also important for motorists to know how their vehicle will perform in winter conditions, and the Tollway encourages drivers to practice winter emergency maneuvers, such as skidding and braking on ice, in an isolated area or an empty parking lot.

"The key to safe driving, especially during inclement weather, is to drive defensively," said John Benda, manager of Tollway maintenance and traffic. "Allow larger intervals between yourself and the vehicles in front of you and refrain from making unnecessary lane changes. Above all, remember to reduce your speed to match the roadway and traffic conditions."

If stranded in a disabled vehicle, stay in the car until help arrives. The Tollway's HELP (Highway Emergency Lane Patrol) trucks will be patrolling the system ready to provide emergency service. The seven patrols run from 4 a.m.-8 p.m. weekdays during the winter season. During extreme cold temperature conditions, HELP drivers are supplemented by Zero Patrol vehicles and emergency service is expanded to 24-hours per day, systemwide as required. This emergency service can be alerted via cellular phone by dialing *999, which is funded by the Illinois Tollway and the Illinois Department of Transportation.

NEIGHBORS



Name: Jennifer Gauger

Home: Antioch

Occupation: Information systems specialist

Community involvement: I dance at American Stars

I'm originally from: Antioch

I graduated from: Antioch Community High School

My family consists of: My mom and dad, and my sisters Janet and Jo-Ann

My pets are: Three Guinea Pigs

What I like best about my town: I'm using Antioch as basis for a film I'm writing with my sister Janet

The secret to my success: Eastern philosophy

I relax by: Horseback riding, dancing, drawing, sculpting, writing, music

My perfect day in Antioch would be: Walking around in the summer and getting ideas for my film

Last book I read: A compilation of Edgar Allen Poe

Favorite TV show is: I watch films more than television

Favorite movie: "Citizen Kane," "The Kid" by Charlie Chaplin, "Clockwork Orange"

Favorite band or musician: Billie Holiday and Led Zepplin

Favorite restaurant: Las Vegas

My life's motto is: Life is a learning experience

If I won the lottery, I would: High tail it to California

My greatest accomplishment is: Going back to college

I want to be remembered as: An artist

People who knew me in high school would say: She's not the same person

My pet peeve is: People who stand in the middle of the aisle with their shopping carts at the store

Most interesting person I ever met was: My sister Janet

If I had a plane ticket anywhere, I would go to: Greenland

If you have a "Neighbor" that you would like to see profiled in this column, call Lakeland Newspapers at 223-8161.

Calendar

Friday, January 5

7:30 p.m., Lake County Camera Club meets at Warren Twp. Center Citizen Bldg. on Washington St. in Gurnee, call 856-1583

Saturday, January 6

9:30-11 a.m., Singles Breakfast Group for ages 55 plus. Held at In-Laws Restaurant, 720 Milwaukee Ave. in Gurnee. Call Pat at 367-4936 to find out more

Sunday, January 7

7-9 p.m., Open Gym at Antioch Community High School, cost $2, adults only

Monday, January 8

12:45 p.m., Bingo held at The Antioch Senior Center, call 395-7120 for details

5:30 p.m., TOPS group meets in Lindenhurst at the Victory Ambulatory Surgery Center and Outpatient Services at 1050 Red Oak Lane. Call Tina at 265-9364

Tuesday, January 9

11 a.m. AARP (for adults 55 and older) meets at Antioch Senior Center, 817 Holbeck Dr., for more info., call 395-5068

Noon, Lake County Retired Teachers monthly luncheon held at the Gurnee Holiday Inn, 6161 W. Grand Ave. Program from the American Cancer Society. All Lake County teachers, retired teachers and their guests are invited. Cost is $10, no reservations needed. Call Sally Todd at 838-6103

6:45 p.m., Antioch VFW Bingo, doors open 4:30 p.m., call 395-5393

7 p.m., The Lake County Genealogical Society meets at the Civic Center, 135 W. Church St. in Libertyville (parking behind building). Presentation on "Property research in New England and the Midwest." A beginner's session starts at 6:30 p.m. for those with questions on any area of genealogy. Anyone interested is invited to attend. For details, call Joan at 587-5349

7-8 p.m. Weigh to Win program held at Calvary Christian Center, Monaville Rd., west of Rte. 83 in Lake Villa. Call 356-6181

Wednesday, January 10

8 a.m., The American Business Women's Association, Express Network of the Lakes meets at Keller Williams Realty Office on Rte. 83 just south of Rte. 173, Antioch. Mark your calendar a "Superbowl of Women" luncheon will be held on Jan. 26 at 1 p.m. at Saluto's Restaurant, Gurnee. Valerie Gora will give a presentation "On being "Super" fit for business". For info. or tickets, call Nancy at 838-6500 or Cathy at 395-5900

10 a.m., Lake County Women's Club meets at State Bank of the Lakes in Grayslake. For info., call 265-7434 or 550-0838

1 p.m., Antioch Woman's Club regular meeting at United Methodist Church of Antioch, info. at 395-4210

6.p.m., CPR classes sponsored by The Antioch Rescue Squad and Fire Department, 835 Holbek Dr., $5/$15 depending on class needed, payable at time of class, call 395-5511 for information

Thursday, January 11

8-9 a.m., Network Lake County, a business networking group, meets at In-Laws restaurant in Gurnee, guests invited, for information, call 548-5305

9:30-11:30 a.m., Prairie Patch Quilting Guild meets at Shepherd of the Lakes Church, Grayslake, call 223-1204

12 p.m., Lunch program sponsored by Northern Lake County Christian Women's Club at Maravela's Restaurant, Rte. 59, Grand Ave. & Washington in Fox Lake. Speaker, music, lunch and more for $10. Reservations needed, call Dana at 838-2384 or Nancy at 356-2533. Free nursery for ages 10 and under upon reservation

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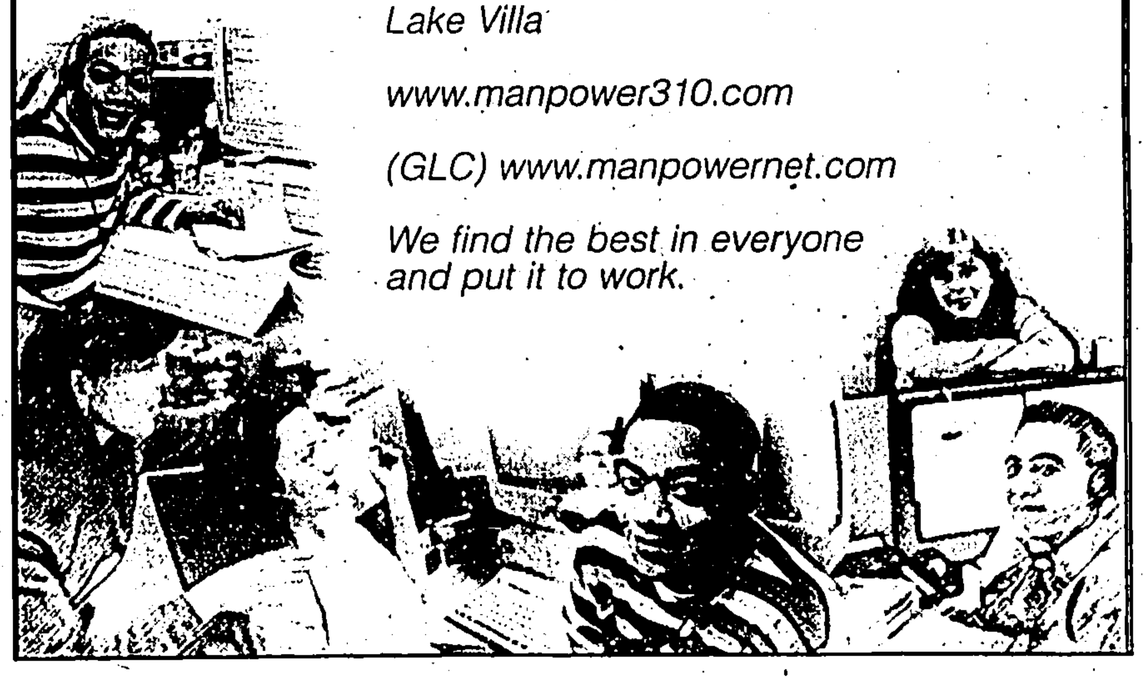
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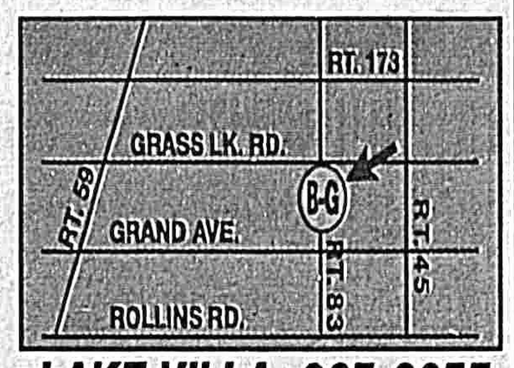


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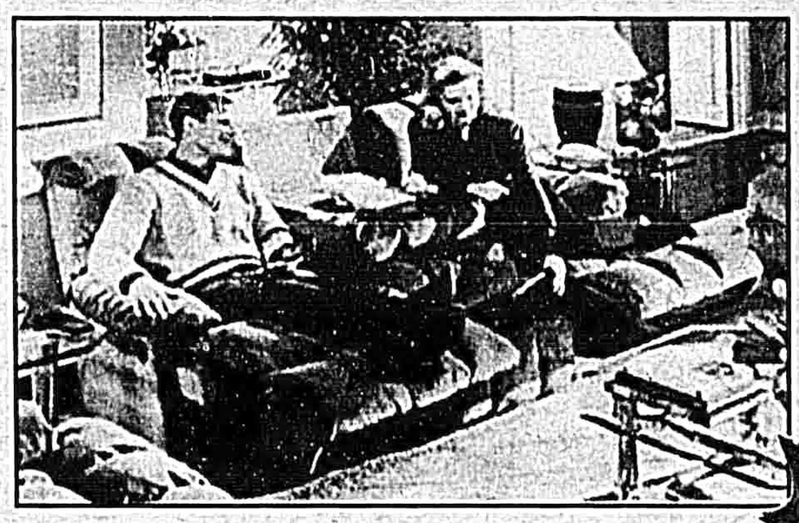
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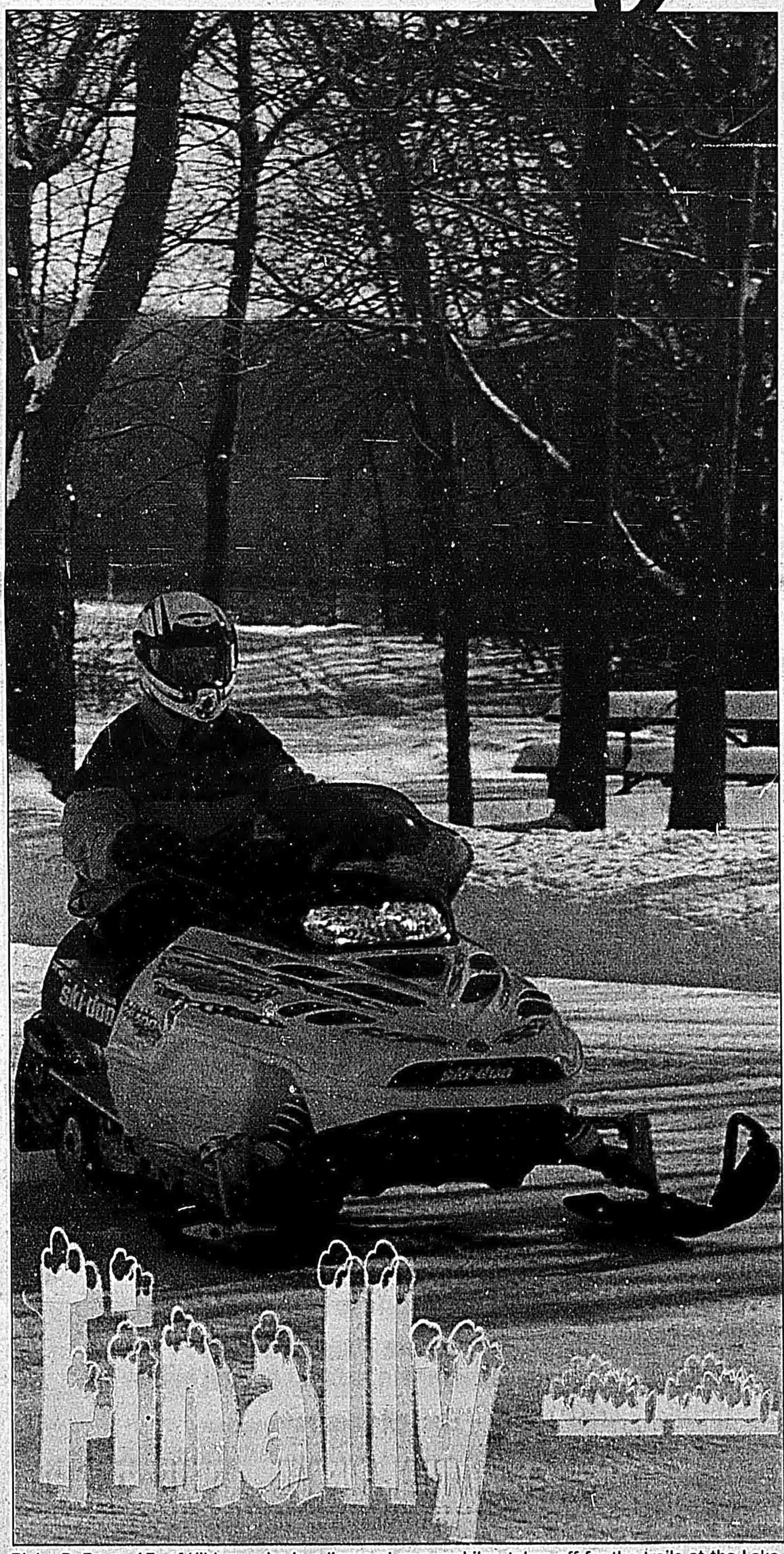
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Winter ends wait for snowmobilers



Blake DeBaun, 15, of Kildeer, who is a licensed snowmobiler, takes off for the trails at the Lakewood Forest Preserve near Wauconda.—*Photo by Sandy Bressner*

At least one group does not mind the near daily snowfall. In fact, they relish it. As the hotline for the McHenry County Snowmobile Assn. says, "There is still snow out there."

For the first time in several years, snowmobilers are out in force, enjoying the 2 feet or more of white stuff in Lake and McHenry counties.

"It is going pretty well. It is a good start to the season," said Bob Andronowitz, president of Johnsburg's Harmony Snowmobile Club. "It got cold before the snow, so there is a nice layer of frost," he added.

By Steve Peterson
Staff Reporter

"It's got to be the earliest snowfall in 10 years," said Maggie Arsenau of the Richmond Snowmobile Club.

Arsenau keeps maps of McHenry County's snowmobile trails. She said they are quite detailed.

"There are 17 clubs in McHenry County and each one has its own trail," she said.

The Richmond Snowmobile Club, meeting twice monthly at the American Legion Hall, boasts the top snowmobile club membership in the state. Dick Arsenau is club president.

"Some people have gotten out of the sport. With clothes and equipment, it can be costly and we have not had a lot of snow until now," Maggie Arsenau said.

She said clubs offer safety classes for the younger riders and adults. All told, some 30 classes are offered.

Kevin Penne and his family are making the most of the record snowfall. They have seven snowmobiles in Lake Villa and a shop to work on them.

"I have not seen this much (snow) this early. The Weather Channel is on constantly — watch that before the news. I have put 60 miles on the sleds," Penne said.

He belongs to the Gages Lake Snowmobile Club.

"I started to tinker with sleds 20 years ago. I bought my first sled in 1990," Penne said.

Penne recommends those just getting started begin with a brand new sled, "turn key" operation. New sleds can cost from between $3,000 to $9,000.

His 11-year-old son is eligible to take safety classes next season.

Penne took a chilly Sunday afternoon trail ride to a Chain O' Lakes restaurant, Fairmont Shores. "Seven of my neighbors went. It was not too cold — you just had to dress for it," he said.

He terms a hill in his backyard "Mount Penne."

With snowmobile costs in the thousands of dollars, there are some security precautions that need to be taken, according to Lt. Fred Heidecke, the Lake County Sheriff's Dept. spokesman.

In one incident, Fox Lake Police reported a $7,000 snowmobile stolen.

"Do not leave it running. We get reports of a group going in for something to drink or eat, and leaving their snowmobiles running. That is an open invitation. Leave them in a secure area, such as in a garage or fenced-in area," Heidecke said.

Safety is the mission for all snowmobile clubs — that is the final word on one club's hotline.

A "Snowmobile Safety Celebration" will be held from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Jan. 14 at Lakewood Forest Preserve in Wauconda. The event is part of International Snowmobile Safety Week, Jan. 14-20. The event is sponsored by Northeastern Illinois Association of Snowmobile Clubs.

"I'm looking forward to a good turnout. We hope to reach the youthful operators and the parents to create an awareness for safety," said John Oliver, event coordinator.

Oliver mentioned the regulations for operating snowmobiles. For youth operators, anyone less than 16 must be certified through a course. Anyone 10 or 11 may ride with an adult or guardian on the machine. Operators age 12-15 must have their certificate with them at all times. They must have an adult or guardian with them when crossing roadways, Oliver pointed out.

"A lot of times, a son or daughter may call mom or dad at work and say, 'I have a permit, may I go ride?' Mom or dad says 'yes,' but does not know about that rule," Oliver said.

The conditions have been perfect to ride the snowmobiles, enthusiasts say. "This is still early in the season. We had a good, solid cold temperatures. Last year, there were wide fluctuations in temperatures. We are hoping for a good local season until the end of March," Oliver said.

International Snowmobiling Safety Week is sponsored by the International Snowmobile Manufactures Assn., which provides many functions for riders and coordinates the "Safe Riding" program. The Northeastern Illinois

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Early ticket sales announced for Mozart Fest

The Woodstock Mozart Festival, partially supported by the Illinois Arts Council and private and corporate contributions, will be held at the Woodstock Opera House on July, 27, 28 and Aug. 3, 4, 10, and 11. The Festival, in its 15th season, has made tickets available early, offering patrons the opportunity to make advance reservations to this rare and unforgettable experience.

Three performances will take place beginning on Friday, July 27 and Saturday, July 28, featuring Russell Harris, conductor and Petrou and Apostolopoulos, duo-pianist. Klaus Donath will conduct the Aug. 3-4 performances with Helen Donath, soprano. On Aug. 10-11, Mark Peskanov, violinist and conductor will perform.



On Saturday, Aug. 11, the Chamber Music Concert will end the Festival. Ticket prices for this concert are $15 for subscribers and $18 for non-subscribers.

All concerts begin at 8 p.m. with preconcert introductions at 7 p.m. Single night concert tickets are priced at $18 for B-seating, $32 for A-seating and $40 for the Conductor's Circle. Gift certificates are available for all performances.

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The Woodstock Opera House is located at 121 Van Buren, Woodstock. Call (815) 338-5300 for additional information and to purchase tickets.

AUDITIONS

Calling 'Odd' women

Auditions will be held at Village Theatre in Libertyville on Wednesday, Jan. 10 at 7 p.m. for a female version of "The Odd Couple." Auditions will consist of cold readings from the script along with improvisational and theater games. Callbacks will be held Thursday, Jan. 11 at 7 p.m.

This comedy joins a cast of six women and two men in a hilarious script about the friendship of Olive Madison and Florence Unger. For more information, call 247-5433, ext. 6027.

ART SHOW

Members' show

The members of the Suburban Fine Arts Center will show their two and three dimensional work during the annual "In View" members show,through Jan. 30, at the Suburban Fine Arts Center. The SFAC is located at 1913 Sheridan Rd, Highland Park. For more information or a prospectus, call 432-1888.

SWAP MEET

Winter swap meet

Skip's Car/Truck Parts Swap Meet & Diecast Car Sale will take place on Jan. 7, from 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. at the Lake County Fairgrounds, Rtes. 120 and 45, Grayslake. The event is Chicago's largest winter swap meet. Admission is $5 per person, children age 6-11, $2. For information, call (630) 876-1042.

MUSIC

Chorus guest night

January is membership month and the Riverport Chorus would like to invite all interested singers to come and sing with this award winning group. Young or old, if you are a woman who loves to sing, come to the first guest night of the year on Monday, Jan. 8 at 7 p.m.. Rehearsals are at Wilmont Union High School, Wilmont, Wis.

Ninety plus members come from southern Wisconsin and northern Illinois. For more information, visit the web site at www.riverport chorus.org.

Join the jams

Check out Duke O'Brien's, 110 N. Main St., Crystal Lake, entertainment line-up for the new year. Wednesdays is open mike with host Aaron Aggarwal of "Burnt Toast" and there is no cover charge. On Thursdays, enjoy the acoustic pop/rock sound of David Sarkis. There is a $1 cover charge and Sunday-Thursday show times are at 9 p.m.

Friday and Saturday night shows begin at 10 p.m. with a $3 cover charge. See Mr. Myers on Friday, Jan. 5 and Tall Grass Magicians on Saturday, Jan. 6. Call (815) 356-9980 for information.

First Fridays are back

The Museum of Contemporary Art First Fridays event on Jan. 5, will feature Chicago-based singer Chris Mills. First Fridays kicks off the first weekend of each month with music, art and entertainment. Visitors enjoy a range of programs from live music and hands-on art stations to experimental films and performance art.

Tickets, which include museum admission, entertainment and complimentary hors d'oeuvres, are $14 and are available on the evening of the event. Guests must be 21 years of age or older.

WORKSHOP/CLASSES

Ragdale hosts poet

The Ragdale Foundation in Lake Forest will offer a poetry writing workshop beginning Monday, Jan. 8 from 7-9 p.m. Taught by Chicago poet Janet St. John, the workshop continues through Feb. 26. Cost is $200 per person and is limited to 14 people. To register, call 234-1063. The Ragdale Foundation is located at 1260 N. Green Bay Rd., Lake Forest.

Journal writing

"Journalwork: Write of Passage" will be offered at Gorton Community Center, 400 E. Illinois Rd., Lake Forest, on Tuesdays, Jan. 9 - 30, from 9:30-11:30 a.m. Judith Taylor, writer, visual artist and amateur naturalist, will instruct the course using a lively medley of folklore, images, texts, music and expressive exercises.

Interested participants should register and pay in advance. The fee is $100. Call the Gorton office at 234-6060 for more information or to register.

Winter art classes

The Suburban Fine Arts Center is offering art classes for adults and children beginning Jan. 8 and running for 10 weeks until March 18.

The classes range from ceramics to jewelry making, sculpture, drawing, painting and printmaking. Day, evening, weekend and custom classes are available. SFAC is located at 1913 Sheridan Rd., Highland Park: Call 432-1888 to register.

Infant massage

"Infant Massage: Loving Touch to Grow On" will be held at Gorton Community Center, 400 E. Illinois Rd, Lake Forest. The class will take place from 9:30-11:30 a.m. on the second Tuesday of each month, with the next class on Jan. 9. The fee is $40 per class. Participants should register and pay in advance by calling 234-6060.

Learn how to DJ

The Northbrook Park District will sponsor eight workshops on how to become a disc jockey beginning Wednesday, Jan. 10, from 4-5 p.m. Children age 9-12 can participate in the afternoon classes which all technical aspects of equipment and mastering of music will be covered. Sessions will be held at Energy Productions, 612 Anthony Trail, Northbrook. For registration and information, call 291-2980.

THEATRE

Gray explores fatherhood



Writer and performer Spalding Gray paints humorous portraits of daily life at Centre East on Friday, Jan. 13 at 8 p.m. Known for his deadpan wit and customary charm, his most renowned work includes "Swiming to Cambodia" and "Gray's Anatomy." Spalding Gray returns to Chicago with his critically acclaimed autobiographical performance, "Morning, Noon and Night," at the Centre East Theatre in the North Shore Center for the Performing Arts, 9501 Skokie Blvd., Skokie.

Tickets are $36 and can be purchased by calling the Centre East box office at 673-6300 or by calling Ticketmaster at (312) 902-1500.

FAMILY FUN

Champions on Ice 2001

Tickets for the Chicago stop of John Hancock Champions on Ice 2001 Tour are now on sale.

The all new Champions on Ice show will also feature, two-time Olympic Silver Medalist Elvis Stojko, World Silver Medalist Surya Bonaly, World Bronze Medalist Nicole Bobek as well as two-time Olympic Bronze medalist Philippe Candeloro; U.S. champion Rudy Galindo; and two-time Olympic Bronze Medalists Isabelle Brasseur and Lloyd Eisler.

Tickets are priced from $25-$75 at all Ticketmaster outlets and the United Center Box Office. To charge tickets, call (312) 559-1212.

ANTIQUES

Appraisal day

An antique appraisal day will be held at Gorton Community Center, 400 E. Illinois Rd., Lake Forest, on Thursday, Jan. 11, from 11 a.m.-4 p.m. The cost is $20 for three or fewer items, and the program will feature general appraisals (no jewelry).

No appointment is necessary. For further information, call the Center at 234-6060.

OUTDOOR SHOW

All-Canada

The 18th annual All-Canada Show takes place Jan. 11-14 at Pheasant Run Mega Center in St. Charles. The show features more than 200 of Canada's finest lodges, resorts and outfitters; a gift shop and a Canadian walleye "shore lunch." Special seminars and presentations on fishing and hunting in Canada will run throughout the show.

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CLUB MEETING

Time to relax

The Northern Lake County Christian Women's Club invites women to come and relax with Waterford Lodge Bath & Essentials on Thursday, Jan. 11 at 12 p.m. at Maravela's Restaurant, Grand Ave. and Washington St., Fox Lake.

Guest speaker will be Sharon Hatton and music will be performed by Shannon Kurtz. Cost is $10 and reservations can be made by calling 838-2384. Free nursery provided for children 10 and under.

DANCE

Ballroom dancing continues

The Gorton Community Center, 400 E. Illinois Rd., Lake Forest, continues to offer open ballroom dancing on one Friday each month. The next scheduled dance is Jan. 12, 8-11:30 p.m. and is open to the public. Cost is $12 per person which includes a half-hour lesson.

Dances are designed for couples and singles of all ages. For further information, call 234-6060.

OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES

Cross country skiing in Waukegan

The Waukegan Park District invites cross country skiing enthusiasts to come down and enjoy the scenery at the Orchard Hills Golf Course, 38342 N. Green Bay Rd. in Beach Park. Cross country skiers are welcome at the golf course free of charge from 10 a.m. until dusk daily through the winter. Skiers will be blazing their own trails as there are no groomed paths. Snowmobiling is not allowed at any time.

For more information, contact the Waukegan Park District at 360-4725.

Ice skating at Victory Park

The Waukegan Park District has opened the ice skating season at the ice skating rink at Victory Park, 1325 North Ave., Waukegan, from 9 a.m. - 9 p.m. The rink will remain open and functional, weather permitting, until Feb. 15. Skaters skate at their own risk as the rink is unsupervised. For information or any questions, call the Parks Department at the Waukegan Park District at 360-4725.

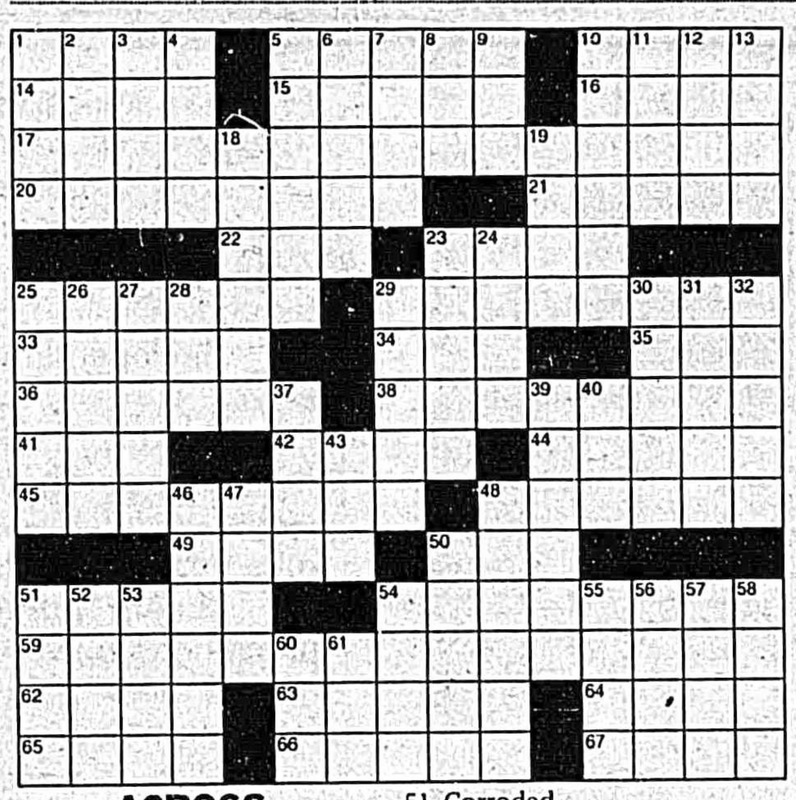
Auditions for 'Pokémon–Live!' to be held in Chicago for Rosemont Theatre show

Radio City Entertainment's "Pokémon–Live!" is looking for a few good Pokémon trainers. Open auditions for boys and girls between the ages of 5-12 will be held at the Harold Washington Public Library–Lower Level Auditorium, 400 S. State St. in Chicago on Thursday, Jan. 11 from 3-5 p.m. for walk-on appearances in "Pokémon–Live!" at the Rosemont Theatre. This is an open call; no appointment required. Only the first 300 children will be seen. Parents can call the "Pokémon–Live!" Audition Line at (773) 250-7919 for more information.

Participants will be judged on their animation, energy and ability to sing and dance to a few bars of the Pokémon theme song. Potential candidates will learn a quick dance routine upon registration. Jessie and James of Team Rocket along with Pikachu will perform a selection from "Pokémon–Live!" Every child that auditions will be given one free ticket to select January performances.

This live stage musical will appear at the Rosemont Theatre, 5400 N. River Rd. in Rosemont from Jan. 12-21, 2001, including a special holiday matinee on Monday, Jan. 15.

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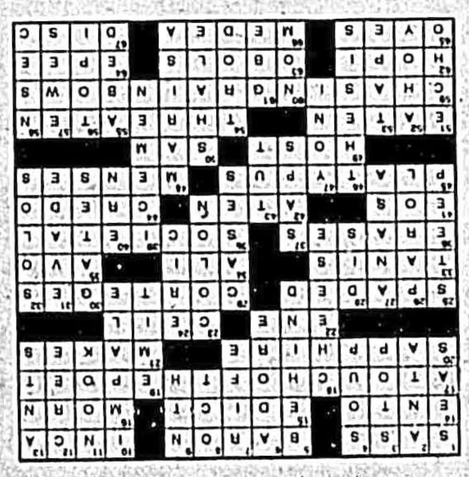
ACROSS

1. Impertinence
5. Nobleman
10. South American Indian
14. Inside
15. Enactment
16. Day
17. Eugene O'Neill opus
20. Gemstone
21. Gets possession of
22. East-northeast
23. Overlay with wood
25. Cut into
29. Processions
33. Ancient Egyptian city
34. Caliph
35. Monetary unit
36. Takes away
38. About order
41. Winged goddess of the dawn in ancient mythology
42. Egyptian sun god
44. School of thought
45. Egg-laying mammal
48. Menstruation
49. Owner or manager of an inn
50. ____ Adams, American revolutionary
51. Corroded
54. Endanger
59. Wishful pursuits
62. Shoshonean
63. Greek coins
64. Fencing sword
65. Hear ye
66. Sorceress who helped Jason
67. Recording

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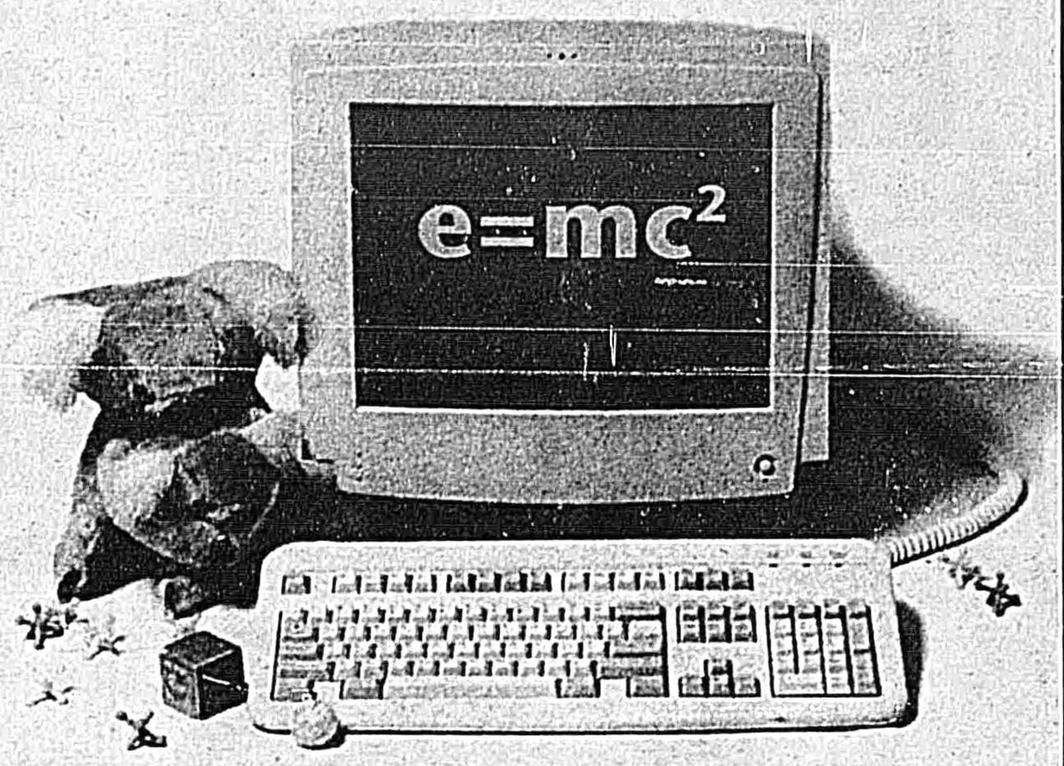
1. Oceans
2. Pier on a porch
3. Halt
4. Dish
5. At the back
6. Feel deep affection for
7. Abundant
8. Calendar month (abbr.)
9. Last or greatest in an indefinitely large series
10. Transfix
11. Retreat
12. Algonquian
13. Hymenopterons
18. ____burger or ____cake
19. Expel
23. Punctuation mark
24. ____ Clapton, musician
25. Saturate
26. Spoken, not written
27. Arthropod genus
28. Prefix meaning "not"
29. Frames
30. Movable barriers
31. Escape
32. Opuses
37. Bludgeons
39. Delivery men
40. Sea eagle
43. Ancient Egyptian king
46. Premise
47. Hindu symbol of a goddess
48. ____ Tomei, actress
50. Rock
51. Persistence of a sound after its source has stopped
52. Hail (nautical)
53. Long, thin piece of cloth or paper that is used for binding or fastening
54. Stepped on
55. In bed
56. Indian helmet
57. Kwas
58. Split second (abbr.)
60. ____ de plume
61. Includes Ewe and Fon languages

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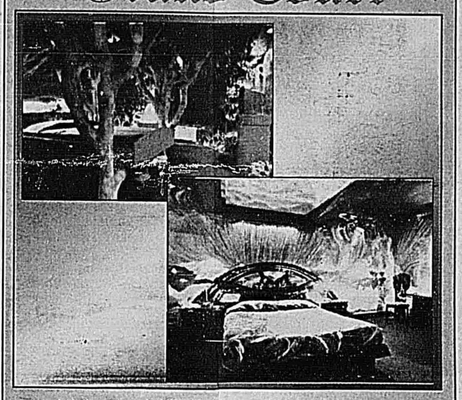
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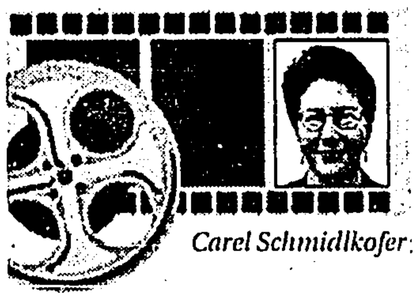
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Samuel L. Jackson
Robin Wright Penn
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In this dark story, Bruce Willis portrays David Dunn, a depressed individual who works as a security officer at a football stadium.

Dunn has plenty to be depressed about. As the story opens, he is returning from a failed security job interview, his marriage is on the rocks and he can't even pick up the woman sitting next to him on the train that ends up in a wreck, killing all the passengers and crew. Dunn survives the crash unharmed.

It is eventually revealed that Dunn has never suffered physical illness or injury, although he has survived other quite serious accidents in his lifetime.

Running alongside Dunn's escapes from injuries, in a parallel-universe-sort-of way, is Elijah Price (Samuel L. Jackson), who suffers from a congenital illness that causes his bones to shatter at the slightest touch.

Price, who owns a successful upscale gallery featuring original comic-book artwork, believes there must be a parallel to his life, no doubt based upon his study of the heroes and villains in the comic books he cherishes.

Eventually, he comes to believe Dunn is that parallel and initiates a dialogue. He soon develops an uncomfortable relationship with him.

This union causes Dunn to develop a psychic ability to see into the future of potential criminals.

This leads to a change in Dunn's life and a surprise ending that reflects director/writer M. Night Shyamalan's style of last-minute revelations that pull the various plots together.

Shyamalan used the same formula that worked so well in "The Sixth Sense" but was a hindrance and disappointment in "Unbreakable."

There are many creative camera angles in this feature. While meant to offer an interesting visual effect in an attempt to reflect the disarray of Dunn's life and provide an off-balance viewer participation, their frequency only serves to annoy and detract from the story.

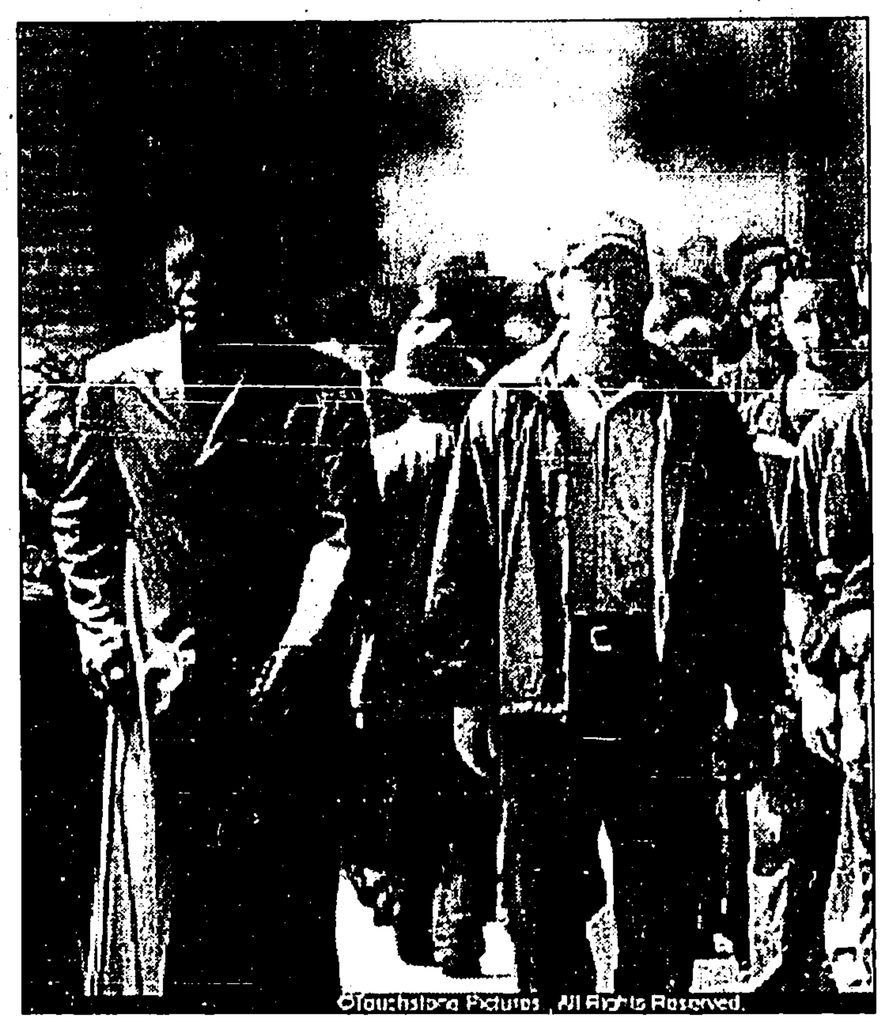
The unexplained subplots became a hindrance as well, getting in the way of following the main plot.

I squirmed through the movie's dead spaces and ominous characters — not out of suspense but out of boredom.

By the ending, even the twist to the story, while pulling the loose threads together, was unsatisfying to me as a viewer, leaving too many unanswered questions.

I was hoping for the same effect as in "The Sixth Sense," where the ending provided a glorious "gotcha" moment.

" Unbreakable's" end only made me happy the movie was over and I could get out of the theater.



Bruce Willis portrays football stadium security officer David Dunn in M. Night Shyamalan's latest sci-fi offering "Unbreakable."

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SNOWMOBILERS

Association of Snowmobile Clubs represents 15 area clubs. Other dates of the safety sessions and places include Jan. 13 at the Round Lake Area Park Dist. and Feb. 3 at the Wildwood Park Dist.

"Snowmobiling is a truly a family activity. I have organized a ride for the last four years for my club, and my wife's father goes. We have riders from age 3 to senior citizens, 77-78 years old," Oliver said.

While December was a bonanza for snowmobilers, the crowd knows next year may be back to the sparse snow levels.

Mother Nature can be cruel to the sport's enthusiasts. One only has to look back at New Year's Day in 1999.

"We got 20 inches, but two weeks later, it was back to green grass again," Andronowitz said.

The number of trails available for the local snowmobiler is dwindling, although McHenry County clubs operate 300 miles of trails

"If anything, it is going down, just due to the natural growth," Androwitz said.

So far, there has been no loss of life or machine on the area waterways, as people have been careful, Andronowitz said.

People may buy the machines from several different dealers or private parties. Those feeling the itch now may be too late.

"The price goes up every year. Manufacturers are not shy about raising prices. It is best to order in the spring season. Sometimes, they have mid-year specials," he said.

The snowmobile clubs are actively meeting, planning ways to use what Mother Nature has turned against vehicle drivers into fun. "Activity picks up in September and October," Andronowitz said.

The Village of Spring Grove offered the following snowmobile safety tips in its latest newsletter:

Always operate your snowmobile in a responsible and safe manner.

Stay off lawns and driveways.

All snowmobiles operating on village right-of-way shall not travel in excess of 15 mph.

The snowmobile must be brought to a complete stop before crossing a road.

The rider of a snowmobile will yield the right of way to a pedestrian.

It is unlawful to drive a snowmobile on private property without the consent of the owners.

The operation of snowmobiles is prohibited between the hours of 11 p.m.-7 a.m. Sunday through Thursday and from midnight-7 a.m. Fridays and Saturdays.

Clubs pull up markers in March — but that is several snowstorms away. For the foreseeable future, snowmobile riders have something to talk about when they meet.

Northbrook Symphony Orchestra features guest conductor

Guest conductor Stephen Alltop will raise his baton on the second concert of the 21st season Sunday, Jan. 14 at 4 p.m. He is bringing the Chicago Symphony Orchestra's new principal flute, Mathieu Defour, who will be featured in the "Concerto for Flute and Strings" in G Major, by Carl Philip Emanuel Bach. The program will also include the "Overture to Rienzi" by Wagner, Torke's "Javelin" and the "Pines of Rome" by Respighi.

Add a bit of insight and history to your concert experience by attending the popular pre-concert lecture, which will be led Jan. 14 by Johann Buis, lecturer, teacher and author; and begins promptly at 2:30 p.m. at the Sheely Center.

The concert will be held at the Sheely Center for the Performing Arts at Glenbrook North High School, 2300 Shermer Rd. in Northbrook. The concert begins at 4 p.m. Series and single tickets are still available and prices vary. Single tickets range from $5 for students and children to $27. There is ample free parking around the theater and the theater is handicap accessible.

Enjoy the park district's winter carnival

It's time again for the Northbrook Park District's popular Winter Carnival, scheduled this year for Sunday, Jan. 7. The entire family will enjoy outdoor activities together, including games, contests, ice sculpture demonstrations and sleigh rides through the park. The carnival will be held at Meadowhill Park, 1501 Maple Ave., from noon-4 p.m. Sleigh rides will cost $4 per person. For additional information, call 291-2980.

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Turning the page to 2001



LIFE'S A BEAR

Donna Abear

Darn these kids. Instead of just allowing me to wallow in my aging parent misery, one of them always has to go and remind me of why I am actually thankful that I'm still surrounded by young children.

This time it was my 7-year-old daughter, Samantha. As a first-grader, she is learning to read, and she has reminded me of just how important, how essential to our lives, that skill is.

Not that my other children didn't find it important, too. But I don't recall any of them approaching it with the sheer desire and urgency that Samantha does.

For her, the ability to read is something she wanted this year like she has never wanted anything before. Perhaps it is because she is surrounded by older siblings and older friends for whom reading is already "no big deal." More likely it is her strong independent streak that pushes her forward so that she can read whenever her heart desires, and not just when Mom and Dad have the time to read to her.

So eager was she to be able to say "I can read" that, at first, she simply capitalized on her exceptional ability to memorize. The teacher would read a short book in class, and Sammie would bring it home and insist that we listen to her newfound "reading" skill.

Of course, we soon caught on when we noticed that she was not even looking at the pages while she was "reading" it!

But little by little, she moved from memorization to actual reading. The day she first read a short book from cover to cover was a day we would not soon forget.

Not that she would let us forget either. She was so excited that no amount of praise from us was enough. Despite our hugs, kisses, exclamations and "yahoos," she made it clear that we still didn't quite understand the momentousness of her accomplishment.

"Aren't you proud of me that I can read?" she'd ask.

"Well, of course, we are. We told you so, didn't we?"

"Yes, but aren't you really, really proud of me?"

"We are. We're really, really proud of you!"

"But you should be really, really, really proud of me. I can read!"

And her excitement over this newfound skill has not slowed down yet. Samantha now brings home books from school and pulls them out of her backpack with the sort of flourish one might use when presenting a 2-carat diamond to your fiancé.

"Let me read this to you!" she proclaims, her chest thrust forward with pride.

I try never to lose sight of what this accomplishment means to her, even when she brings home a book that is obviously too advanced for her skill level but that she assures me she can read anyway. An hour later, when we are only on page four and she insists she can "read the whole book" – which is 20 pages long – it is admittedly hard to keep feigning interest.

Actually, it's hard to keep from falling into a coma.

But I dare not let on, for fear that I will discourage her in any way. In this age of 100+ television channels, computers and video games, all competing for our children's attention, it becomes even more amazing when kids still manage to fall in love with books.

And so, while the rest of America remembers the year 2000 as the year when people named "Chad" became doomed forever to hear the phrase, "Hey, Chad... how's it hanging?", I will remember this year for a very different reason.

In the year 2000, my youngest child, Samantha, learned to read.

That is definitely an important moment in any family's history book.

If you enjoy her column, check out Donna's book, "Mom...you're not NAKED, are you?" available at Books, Etc. or J. J. Blinkers in Antioch, online at Amazon.com or Donna's web site at wtww.lifesabear.com. You can reach Donna by e-mail at donna@lifesabear.com or by mail at P. O. Box 391, Antioch, IL 60002

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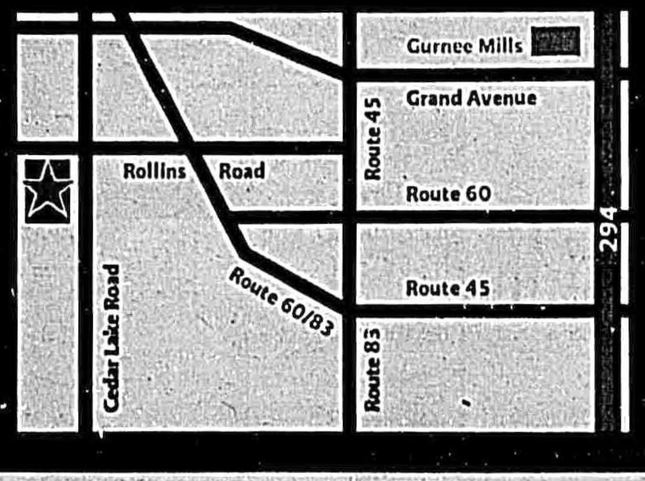
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Section B



First baby of the New Year

Sadie Evelyn Schultz, with mom Jennifer Wachter of Vernon Hills, made her debut at 6:52 a.m. on Jan. 1 as the first baby of 2001 at Condell Medical Center in Libertyville. *—Photo by Sandy Bressner*

Gurnee's Centre Club opens its doors

A brand new Centre Club in Gurnee opened its doors on Dec. 29 for four days to orient 3,500 residents already enrolled for membership. Centre Club in Gurnee is Condell Health Network's latest medically based fitness complex located on the east side of Hunt Club Rd. just south of Grand Ave.

The club plans to open its doors for full use by members in early January, 2001. However, because of the enormous response to the new club, it decided to orient and register members prior to the formal opening to facilitate their participation as quickly and smoothly as possible.

Orientation includes processing membership and receiving a member identification card, making an appointment for a FitQuest physical examination, and an orientation tour.

Backed by 12 years of experience at Centre Club in Libertyville, the $11 million fitness center brings its unique spirit of health to the people of northern Lake County.

Like the original Centre Club in many ways, the 62,000-square-foot facility is devoted to the concept that many diseases can be prevented or controlled through development of a healthy lifestyle.

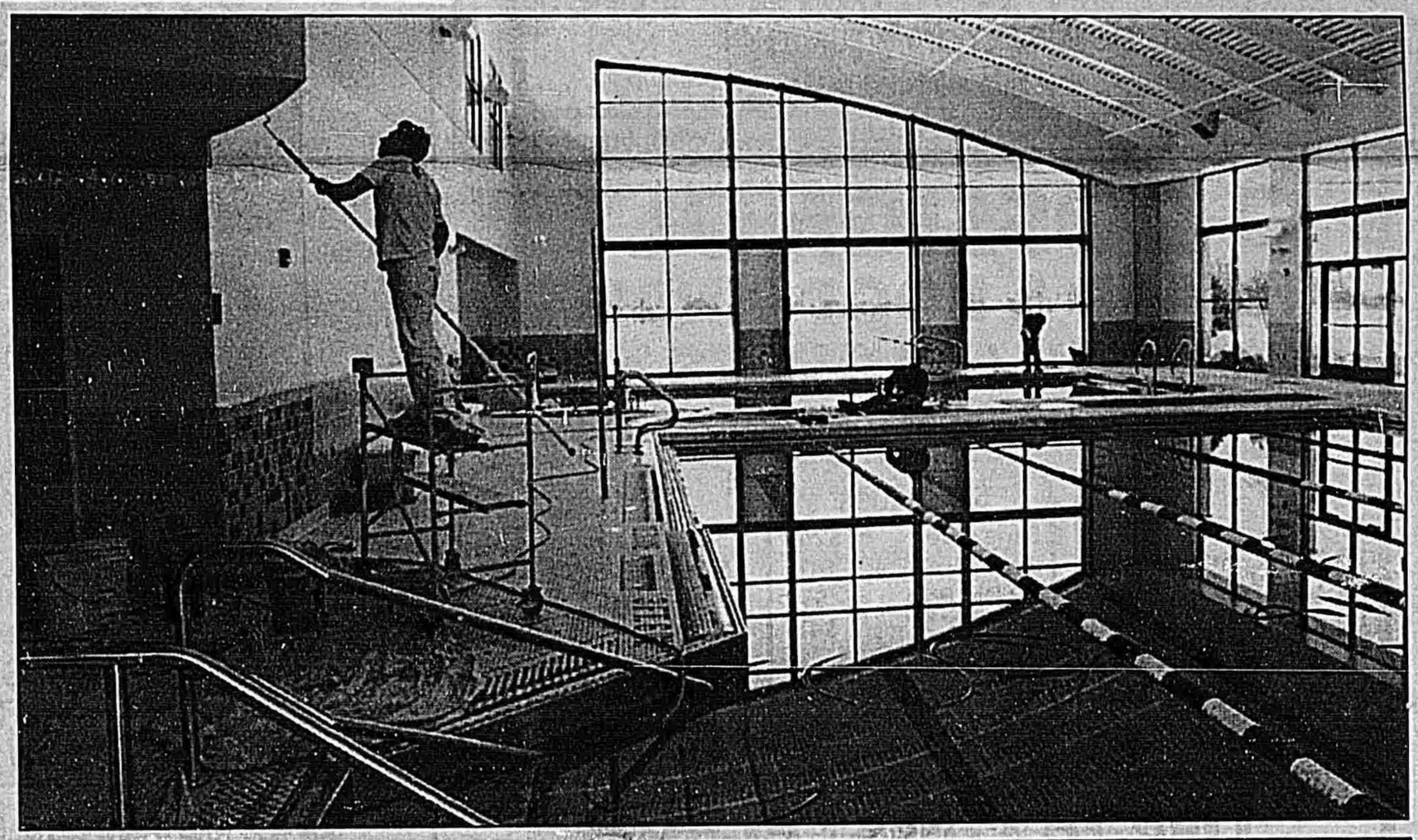
"Centre Club and The Medical Center Health Institute have established a reputation for bringing together outstanding specialists in their fields to work as a team, including exercise physiologists, dietitians, behavior specialists, cardiac and physical therapists, athletic trainers and physicians who specialize in disease prevention," explained Eugene Pritchard, president of Condell Health Network.

"First, members will undergo the most thorough fitness evaluation available, just as we do now at Centre Club in Libertyville. Second, we give extensive exercise training because we know that one of the most frequent reasons people quit exercise programs is overuse injury. Third, our professional team will teach you how to cook healthy food because we know you can't lose weight without exercising correctly and eating right. Fourth, we're always there to monitor your progress and to encourage you until you set your goals, achieve them, and then set new ones."

In addition, an array of rehabilitative services including Cardiac Rehabilitation (Phase I and III), physical therapy, and sports medicine will also be available.

The Centre Club will provide a full roster of amenities, including:

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Workmen put some finishing touches on the pool area at Condell Health Network's new 62,000 square foot, $11 million Centre Club fitness complex located at 1405 Hunt Club Road, just south of Grand Avenue in Gurnee. — *Photo by Lynn Gunnarson Dahlstrom*

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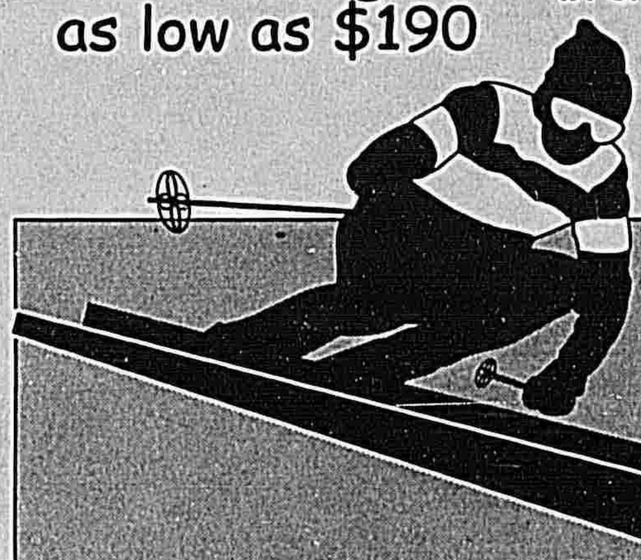
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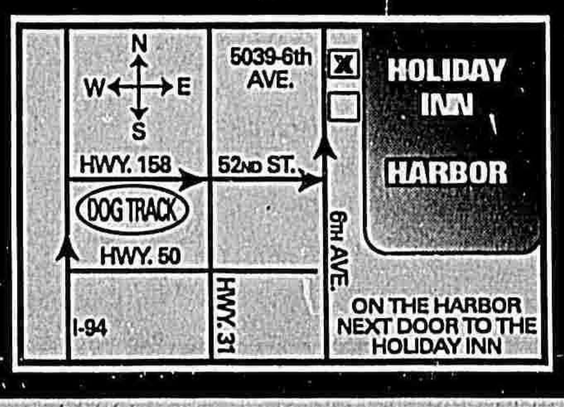
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Participants of the 2nd Annual Polar Bear Plunge start off the new year by jumping into Lake Michigan at Waukegan Municipal Beach. The event was sponsored by the Waukegan Park District. — *Photo by David Krueger*

Lake County Chamber bids farewell to Raskin

Helaine Raskin announced that she is leaving her position as president of the Lake County Chamber of Commerce effective Jan. 5 to pursue new opportunities, according to Matthew Nordigian, the Chamber's chairman of the board. Raskin is credited with leading a successful rejuvenation in the number of members and in the spirit of the 80-year old organization.

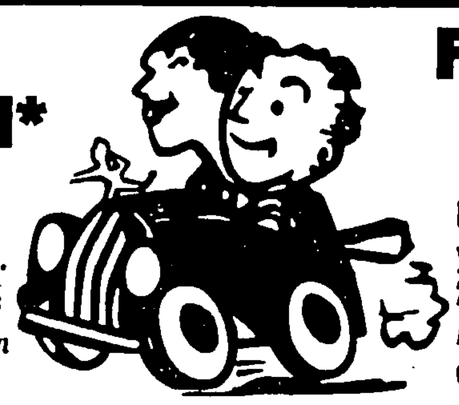
"The Lake County Chamber is very grateful for the leadership provided by Helaine Raskin," said Nordigian. "She has done a terrific job in several areas, most notably in membership development and special events. One of Helaine's greatest strengths is her ability to expand the involvement of the Chamber's membership in our diverse array of activities. Helaine has left a very positive mark on the Chamber and she will certainly be missed."

Raskin became President of the Lake County Chamber of Commerce in May 1999. She joined the organization after a successful career working with not-for-profit agencies throughout northern Illinois. Nordigian noted that Raskin was asked to reconsider her decision to move on but felt that she had already accomplished most of the objectives set when she accepted the position.

Penny Lacy took over day-to-day operations of the Chamber effective with Raskin's departure on Jan. 5. She was Chairman of the Board of the Lake County Chamber from April 1997 through March 199, and headed the executive search that resulted in the selection of Raskin.

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HOROSCOPE

Aries – March 21/April 20
While a loved one's comments upset you early in the week, Aries, don't stay mad at this person. He or she doesn't mean to hurt you. Just tell him or her how you feel, and move on. Don't make a big deal out of this. A close friend wants to take you out late in the week. Say yes, because it's sure to be a good time.

Taurus – April 21/May 21
Don't be stubborn when making plans with close friends. You don't always have to get your way. Compromise this time. Besides, you're sure to have fun with these people no matter what you do. A business associate wants to get to know you better. Say no, because it is sure to complicate your professional life.

Gemini – May 22/June 21
You have to be patient this week, Gemini, while waiting for a loved one to answer an important question. Don't pressure this person into making a decision. If you do, you're sure to get the answer that you don't want to hear. That special someone asks a favor of you. Do what you can for him or her.

Cancer – June 22/July 22
Your sense of humor wins you a new admirer when out with friends late in the week. Get to know this person better, because he or she could be the one for you. Don't let this opportunity for romance slip through your fingers. A loved one asks for your advice about a personal problem. Be honest.

Leo – July 23/August 23
A business associate introduces you to an interesting person on Tuesday. If you just be yourself, you're sure to make a good impression and gain a new friend. A loved one offers you some constructive criticism. Listen to what this person has to say, because it can help you. Libra plays a key role.

Virgo – Aug 24/Sept 22
You are on the go this week, Virgo, and that's just how you like it. There is a lot to do. So, stay energized, and get moving. You're sure to accomplish everything on your list if you just work hard. On Tuesday, that special someone needs a shoulder to cry on. Be there for him or her.

Libra – Sept 23/Oct 23
Don't believe everything that you hear this week, Libra. An acquaintance is trying to pull a fast one on you. Don't let him or her get away with it. Check with others to see if this person is telling you the truth. Cancer plays an important role.

Scorpio – Oct 24/Nov 22
Don't keep your feelings bottled up inside this week, Scorpio. Instead, share them with that special someone. He or she can help you deal with these emotions in a productive way. Don't be afraid to open up. A loved one asks a favor of you on Tuesday. Do what you can for him or her.

Sagittarius – Nov 23/Dec 21
Keep your temper in check when an acquaintance steps on your toes early in the week, Sagittarius. This person doesn't mean to upset you. Try to realize this. A family friend needs your help with a personal matter. While you're reluctant to get involved, do what you can for this person. Your efforts will be appreciated.

Capricorn – Dec 22/Jan 20
Don't be shy when it comes to getting something that you want, Capricorn. No one is going to hand it to you on a silver platter. So, take the initiative, and go after it. If you work diligently, you're sure to attain this goal. A loved one takes you out late in the week. Enjoy yourself!

Aquarius – Jan 21/Feb 18
Don't make a hasty decision when it comes to your love life this week, Aquarius. Before committing to someone, make sure that he or she is the person for you. It will save you a lot of heartache in the end. A business associate offers you some advice. Listen to him or her.

Pisces – Feb 19/March 20
Don't be too eager to get involved in an important project at work this week, Pisces. While it looks like a good opportunity, it really isn't. Those involved don't know what they want, and they're sure to revamp things several times.

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EDITORIALS

Making sense of Rte. 53 melee: a sane path out

Out of the melee of information, misinformation, informed opinion, uninformed opinion, unabashed flamdoodle and folk lore surrounding the proposed extension of Rte. 53 has come a sensible solution.

Members of the Mundelein village board have earned deep gratitude for cutting through the fog hovering over a road building plan that has disillusioned and held out false hope for the driving public for 40 years, at the same time distracting and dividing local officialdom.

In the form of a resolution adopted unanimously, Mundelein council members requested that the state and and Lake County begin immediately to widen and improve existing roads. They ask that a decision to be made by the governor and General Assembly by July 1, 2001.

Significantly, the resolution avoided the "in your face" approach taken on Rte. 53 for years by the Illinois Dept. of Transportation. The pre-Christmas document prioritizes badly needed highway improvements in one of the most congested areas of the state. In a shrewd political stroke, Mundelein councilmen simply set aside the issue of Rte. 53 until existing roadways are improved. The position takes the air out of the Rte. 53 debate.

The resolution signers identified as immediate highway improvement needs Rte. 45 from Milwaukee Ave. to Rte. 83; Rte. 83 from Rte. 45 to Rte. 120; Rte. 60 from Rte. 45 to Rte. 120 at Volo and Peterson Rd. from Rte. 137 to Rte. 60. Few, if any, frustrated commuters trapped in the twice daily gridlock of east-west thoroughfares will argue with these choices.

Besides setting a sane and workable construction agenda, the Mundelein approach pulls away "the cover" that Rte. 53 has provided transportation officials and politicians, principally the Republican leadership in Springfield, for doing nothing about the highway mess in Lake County. It's time that both locally elected officials and business leaders, who have embraced the Rte. 53 concept out of frustration, realized that they've been hoodwinked. The Lake County Tranportation Study Group, officed ironically in Mundelein, ought to fold up its ginned up facts and figures.

Finally, there's a pathway to throw off the clutches of the Rte. 53 imbroglio. Call it the Mundelein Method. There's a bandwagon forming. Time to hop aboard.

Townships shine in Lake County

Township government, involved in a perpetual tug-of-war between detractors and supporters, scored some notable achievements in Lake County during the Year 2000. Opponents are wont to poke a finger of scorn at the township system as outmoded, wasteful and expensive. That was hardly the case if evidence hereabouts is considered.

Two townships were involved with a school district in a landmark example of intergovernmental cooperation. Antioch High School is joining with Antioch and Lake Villa townships to build a multipurpose office building and community center.

On a 67 acre site donated by the school, a shared building will be built on the townline not far from where a second high school will be built to serve Antioch, Lake Villa and Lindenhurst. The building will house school administrative offices, Antioch Township offices and a community center which will have a strong focus on senior citizen service. School Supt. Dennis Hockney said the building is coming about because of a desire to "work together." Antioch Township Supervisor Steve Smouse reported the innovative arrangement already has attracted attention in Springfield.

Once the "stepchild" of Lake County townships because of a dilapidated 100-year-old frame office building, Grant Township will break ground this winter for a $1 million administrative building that overlooks a community recreational complex. Warren Township is adding a new dimension to its already model grassroots governmental complex with an innovative after school youth center. The project, opening this month, is another example of intergovernmental cooperation. Warren High School will provide bus transporation.

We could add other examples of the positive influence the county's other townships are making, but our point has been made. Townships contribute. Period. Voters will have an opportunity to reaffirm their support at the polls April 3 when all township officials are up for re-election.

VIEWPOINT

Bears friends come to rescue



BILL SCHROEDER
Publisher

Ho, ho, ho. Santa brought you a goodie. And a political pig in a poke. To their credit, a majority of Lake County's Springfield legislative delegation wanted no part of playing generous pointy-toed elves dancing around the jolly old man in the red suit while the General Assembly leadership impersonated St. Nick for the Chicago Bears.

In the Lakeland Newspapers readership area, the vote among area legislators was 7-5 against the $587 million state endorsed gift for the hapless Bears who will get to perform in the rehabbed splendor of Soldier Field.

But no matter.

As one legislator told this column, "The governor and the four leaders wanted a deal. So that was it." The legislator neglected to mention **Mayor Daley** also wanted the stadium deal, probably thinking the addition to be a foregone conclusion. As it was.

The Soldier Field proposition was old fashioned arm-twisting, horse trading, vote swapping, back slapping, know-your-daddy dealing at its best. As usual, the guys in the cheap seats (taxpayers) are left holding the bag. Technically, the deal involved extending the bonding authority of the Illinois Sports Authority, that's the unit that gave us the new Comiskey Park and kept the White Sox in Chicago.

State Sen. Terry Link (D-Vernon Hills), who voted for Soldier Field, gamely sees the liability noose around the neck of Chicago. Nice try, senator. **State Sen. Adeline Geo-Karis** (R-Zion) voted yes, offering a picture of bi-partisanship by doing so. Geo-Karis also is tight with **Senator Majority Leader Pate Philip**, one of the four horsemen of the General Assembly. What daddy wants, daddy gets.

State Rep. Susan Garrett (D-Lake Forest), a yes vote, views the monumental reconstruction project for the creaky lakefront stadium as a "win-win for all of Illinois." Well, yes. Certainly win-win for House **Majority Leader Mike Madigan**, a Dem member of the four horsemen, and the guy who gives orders to people like Garrett. So, make that a win-win for Susan, too.

Another yes vote was recorded by **State Rep. Andrea Moore** (R-Libertyville). Link, Garrett and Moore were in the well known box. Regardless of the Bear stadium bill merits, their votes were a lock, Link and Garrett for party leadership reasons and Moore because influential Bear bosses and Bear friends live in her district. Bears headquarters also happens to be in the district served by the two Democrats. Double difficulty for Link and Garrett.

Not so for nae voters among the Lakeland area representatives who saw the stadium measure as an inside, sweetheart deal for the politically connected with no gain for suburban or downstate residents. The Bears are coughing up $100 million. League owners kick in a like amount. The remaining $387 million will come from Chicago's two percent hotel-motel tax.

Why did such a simple deal take so long? Now the mayor and his downtown pals won't have to worry about the Bears skipping off to Arlington Heights or Addison, or wherever in the burbs.

Nae votes were recorded by **Mark Beaubien** of Barrington, **Beth Coulson** of Glenview, **Tim Osmond** of Antioch, **Sid Matthias** of Buffalo Grove, **Jack Franks** of McHenry and **Cal Skinner** of Crystal Lake. **Sen. Bill Peterson** of Long Grove also voted no. All are Republicans except Franks.

Voting no was easy, Beaubien explained. He called the stadium proposition a bad bill; "Bad bills always come at the end of a session." Beaubien joked, "Besides, I'm a Packer fan." Turning serious, Beaubien pointed out that the bill for modernizing Soldier Field will be double or more the average cost of football stadiums being built today, not exactly a good deal for the general citizenry.

Even die-hard Bear fans.

Sidelined

For an outdoorsman (sailing, skiing), the holidays were frustrating for **Dr. John Sullivan**. The busy Mundelein dentist is home-bound recuperating from serious injuries suffered in a November auto crash. Sullivan is facing a four to six months recovery schedule.

Diapers needed

As noted in this column recently, friends of A Safe Place came through in grand style with Christmas gifts for battered women and their children. Executive Director **Phyllis A. DeMott** points out there are year-round needs to be filled. Always on the need list are diapers (all sizes), shoes for both women and children, paper towels, laundry detergent, dish soap and cleaning products. Arrangements for delivery can be made by calling 847-249-4450.

Chase the blahs

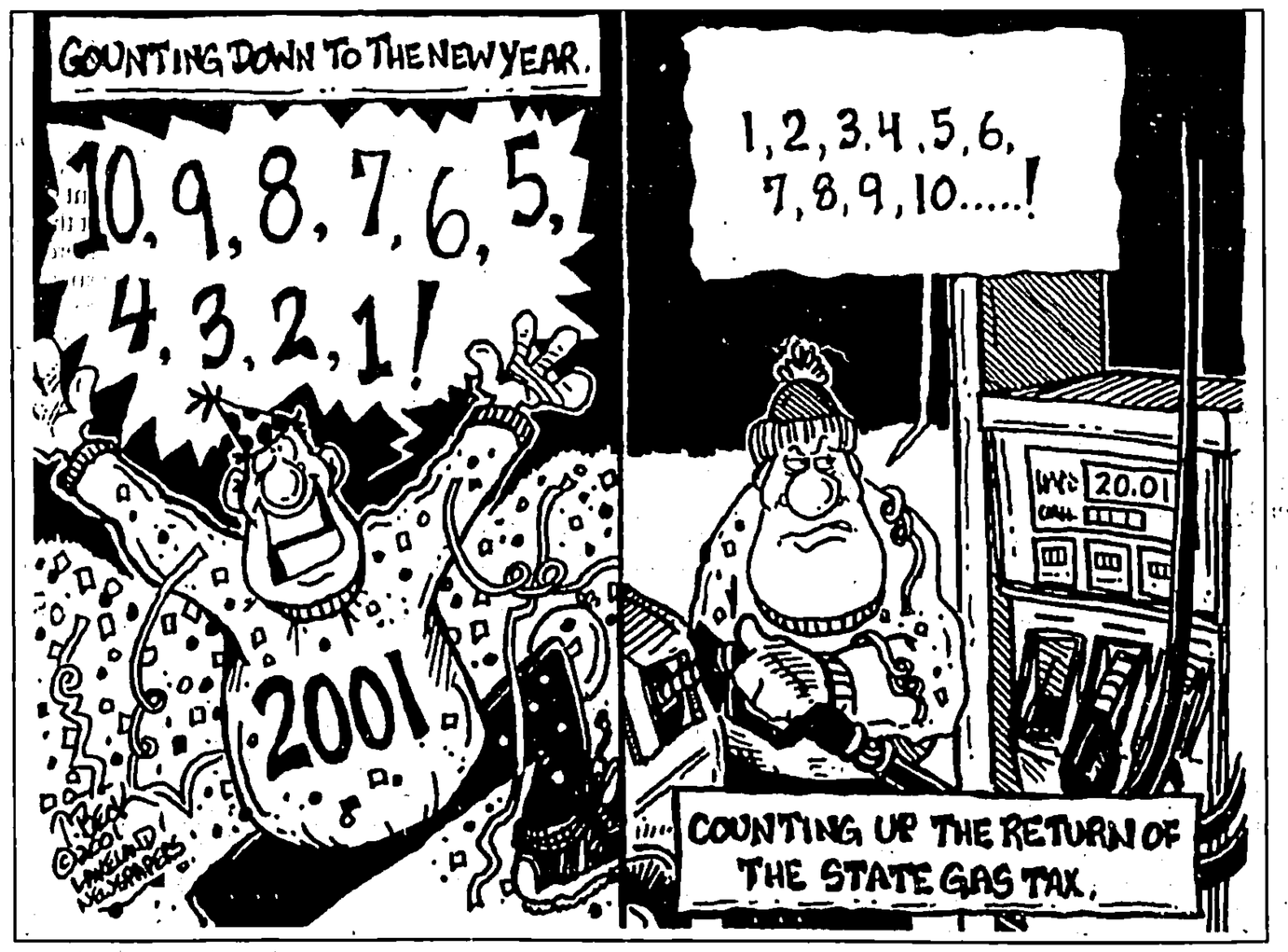
Suggestion for chasing the winter blahs: The Members Exhibition at the College of Lake County Community Gallery of Art opens Friday, Jan. 19, for a run through Feb. 25. The gallery at the Grayslake campus opens Monday through Saturday at 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. Sunday. Closing weekdays is 9 p.m. and Saturday at 4:30 p.m. What you'll see is the creative efforts of scores of Lake County artists. Admission is free.

Bush country

Left-over election statistic: President-Elect **George W. Bush** carried Lake County by 5,000 votes, winning 49 percent of the votes. Vice President Gore received 47 percent and Ralph Nader two percent. What of the other two percent? Hanging chads? Over votes? Wonder what those non-allocated voters were thinking? President Clinton, by the way, carried Lake County in 1996 by 37 votes. Thanks to **John Steinke** for reminding us of derSchlickmeister's local landslide four years ago.

Fast start

Centre Club in Gurnee opened after the holidays with 3,500 members already enrolled. The fitness mecca operated by Condell Health Network is loaded with unique features like a lap pool with a deep "side" instead of a deep end and a classroom with a demonstration kitchen where students can learn how to prepare diet-approved meals. Swimmers and workout fans have a great view of a nature-wetlands area off Hunt Club Rd.



PARTY LINES

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Wood big winner in '00 smorgasbord

In politics, the pages always are turning. One chapter closes and a new one begins. That's the way it goes. Party Lines helpers got their heads together, coming up with a smorgasbord of honors (some dubious) for the old year, fearless pronostications for 2001 and noting a few oddities of the past year that spice up pubic life.

Here's our invitation to join our political buffet line and dine to your hearts delight. Specials of the day: political stew and party smorgasbord.



Corinne Wood: *On path as first female govenor*



Carol Calabresa: *Loses ground, prestige role*



Pate Phillip: *Comes to sing at Geo fete*



Tom Adams: *Future role of leadership?*



Sue Hanson: *Likes future as private citizen*



Pete Tekampe: *Backs farm museum*



Jack Potter: *Running, but what banner?*



Jack Martin: *Unchallenged letter champ*

Winners

Lake County's own Lt. Gov. **Corinne Wood** was a huge winner. Through hard work and a political philosophy that appeals to the broad center, Wood has positioned herself to be the first female governor in Illinois history. She might not even have to run for election if scandal-ridden Gov. George Ryan gets indicted before 2002. Environmental protection was a big winner in the reorganization of the County Board and Forest Preserve District with the election of **Suzi Schmidt and Al Westerman**, respectively.

Losers

Talk about running for the wrong office at the wrong time in the wrong district. **Spiro Georgeson** embellished his record as a born loser being defeated in Lake County as a Democrat for state representative by Republican incumbent **Tim Osmond**. Georgeson's resume includes a loss for Congress in Cook County running as a Republican against the redoubtable Democrat **Dan Rostenkowski**. State Rep. **Sid Matthias** (R-Buffalo Grove) stubbornly continues to tout Rte. 53 as the end all for all commuting miseries as the controversial highway loses credibility every day. OMC directors who pink slipped hundreds of Lake County employees just before Christmas.

Rising stars

Even as a loser in the November election, Green Oaks Mayor **Tom Adams** showed himself to be a tireless worker, honest politician, philosophically driven and popular party figure, an ideal combination of skills for Lake County Republican chairman. Mundelein Village Trustee and mayoral candidate **Steve Powell** has the bank roll ($52,000) and ambition to run a new-style campaign for village president.

Fading star

After helping win approval of two key bond issues for land acquisition and expansion, Forest Preserve District President **Carol Calabresa** barely salvaged the vice presidency because she underestimated the resolve of collegues to live up to leadership responsibilities and sense of fair play.

Song to Remember

Illinois Senate Majority Leader **Pate Philip** serenading State Sen. **Adeline Geo-Karis** (R-Zion) at a testimonial cocktail party at Gurnee Holiday Inn.

Bad move

County Board Rep. **John Schulien**, who also is county GOP chairman, is an easy winner with his clumsy attempt to engineer the election of a Democrat as County Board chair in a vote swapping deal involving disgruntled Republicans and self-serving Democrats. Close second was an ill-advised attempt by Democrats to combine a Waukegan rally with voter registration, a violation of the Illinois Election Code, and then try and spin out of their dilemma.

Best public policy idea

Suggestion by citizen **Ray Rockenbach** and Fremont Township Supervisor **Pete Tekampe** to establish a living farm museum at the new Ray Lake Farm Forest Preserve.

Worst public policy idea

Establishing a peaker plant electrical generating station next to residential areas in Libertyville and Prairie Crossing.

Best kept political secret

Former **President Bush** and wife **Barbara** visiting the U.S. Women's Golf Open at Gurnee without creating a press clamor or celebrity incident. The famous couple professed to be just "stopping by" to visit old friend **Bert Getz**, developer of the host Merit Club, and "see some good golf."

Saying goodbye

Retiring from public life: Congressman **John Porter**, Lake Villa Township Supervisor **Sue Hanson**, Grayslake Mayor **Pat Carey**, Round Lake Mayor **Jim Lumber**, Waukegan **Mayor Bill Durkin**. Former County Board Chairman **Ron Coles** moving to Arizona. Former Lindenhurst Mayor **Bob Ratch** taking up assisting living in Libertyville.

Strange pronouncements

From pre-election Republican campaign literature: "When the worst happens, does your family deserve respect and compassion?" What? Bypass surgery or the election of Al Gore? From **Jack Potter**, pondering which party standard to carry in his quest for mayor of Waukegan: "The people will tell me what label to wear, whether Fruit of the Loom or Jockey." Post election statement from County Democratic Chairman **Terry Link** after Republicans were re-elected uncontested for coroner and state's attorney: "There's no shortage of candidates (Democratic) to run for office."

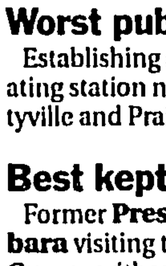
Bewitching moment

In May, political strategist **David Parker**, 37, with glowing credentials from having drawn winning game plans for Democrats in Iowa, took over the campaign of **Lauren Beth Gash** for Congress with unstinting praise for the nominee. In August, Parker resigned, citing a personality conflict with the candidate. Observers were left wondering if Gash pilots the same broom as **Hillary Rodham Clinton**.

Champion writer

With ease, **Jack Martin** held on to his title as Lakeland's champion letter to the editor writer. The political gadfly and tax policy wonk still was at his keyboard as the clock struck twelve Dec. 31.

Liar! Liar! Pants on fire!



THE PFARR CORNER

Jerry Pfarr

Gordon Zwicky of Oshkosh, Wis., says he and his wife had a very frustrating trip to Florida. They had never been more than 25 miles from Oshkosh during their 50 years of marriage. Then they won some lottery money and decided they could afford to go to Florida.

Their neighbor Bud, who has traveled extensively, advised them to just pay attention to the road signs and they would get along just fine.

Thirty miles from home they saw a sign stating "clean rest rooms ahead." Two months later they arrived in Florida. They had cleaned 450 rest rooms, used 267 rolls of paper towels, three cases of bowl cleaner and 86 bottles of Windex for windows.

They were so tired, they left for home immediately.

That's Zwicky's story and he's sticking to it. In fact, it's such a good yarn it earned him the title of World Champion Liar for the year 2000.

There were 300 entries again last year in the Burlington, Wis. Liars Club's annual contest. They came from 31 states and Canada. Lions Club president John Soeth says he was impressed there were so many lies left over after the political campaigns.

Soeth, a retired Burlington school administrator, does the judging along with his hometown panel of leg-pullers. The founder, Otis Hulett, died a few years ago at 95.

Hulett, a dapper newspaper reporter and notorious prankster, dreamed up the annual contest in 1929 during a slow news week between Christmas and New Year's, sending a bogus story to papers around the nation. It attracted fibs from all over and became little Burlington's claim to fame.

Liar Czar Soeth is concerned that "We used to get thousands of entries, now we only get hundreds." Years ago the New Year's Eve press release announcing the best lies appeared in many newspapers. But, lately, fewer editors have been printing it despite the fact our daily papers are filled with depressing news and a little more levity, however corny, might be a nice change of pace.

The current winter wallop should inspire new lies about that always popular subject, the weather. Here are gems from past years:

"We had such a terrible windstorm the velocity of the wind had telephone lines stretched out so far that when I phoned my neighbor across the road I was charged $17.60 for a long-distance call."

And, "It was so cold in Lake County last January, I saw a politician with his hands in his own pockets."

And, "One day a few years ago it was so cold that when I was walking away from the house I looked around and noticed my shadow going back inside to get another coat."

To enter the 2001 contest, simply send $1 and a lie to the Liars Club, Burlington, Wis., 53105. You at least will get a membership card confirming you are a full-fledged liar — and that would make you proud, wouldn't it?

In addition to Zwicky's winning lie, there were seven honorable mentions, including this one from Kenneth Flunker of Neenah, Wis.: "A robin built a nest with a hole in the bottom because she liked to lay eggs but didn't like kids."

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Exchange county land for playing fields

Editors note: *Libertyville Township Supervisor F.T. 'Mike' Graham, Lake County's most enduring open space advocate, builds on the success of a youth soccer program to find new public uses for a major county asset, lands and fields surrounding Winchester House. He addresses newly elected Lake County Chairwoman Suzi Schmidt in an open letter.*

Dear Suzi:

Hopefully, the new County Board will understand the real reason why we have traffic congestion. The reason is we have simply overbuilt and it appears we are continuing to do that instead of recycling our land and buildings.

It is difficult to buy the philosophy that we must destroy more land when we have a city that has many vacant buildings that we could use for government use, and it is even more difficult that we will promote more destruction of land at the expense of mature cities and towns, which we all claim we don't want to do, because a pat board may have deemed it so, but things do change.

I spoke in the past of the need to provide practice and playing fields for Libertyville Township. Don't get the wrong message: we are not asking for anything free, and we will have to pass a referendum to do so, but we did before.

The County Farms is the ideal site to provide these needs, and one of the few big parcels we have left in Libertyville Township.

I suspect the 80 acres of the County Farm would demand $30-$40 thousand an acre, maybe more. That amount of money could buy at least 10-15 times more land, if not more, and it could be divided up for those areas that need more land for government purposes, and if there is any left, for our much needed open space for everyone, plus Libertyville will get its playing fields and the county will be well served.

County Board members who represent the eastern portion of Lake County would be somewhat upset to lose that rental income on the shoreline, and seemingly further promote the demise of the city of Waukegan.

Hopefully, it is not too late to revamp those plans. This is a win-win situation for everyone: the youthful athletes, diminished traffic congestion, promoting Waukegan as the hub of county service, which would start to restore Waukegan to its former greatness, beginning an economic boom to many businesses in Waukegan.

I can't think of any drawback except perhaps a few minutes' longer drive to the county seat, but a cheaper price to pay to alleviate congestion. Politically speaking, there are at least five or six county Board members whose political futures could hinge on good, solid long-range planning.

But I believe it will be the pressure from members of the young sports community who have no place to play or practice, who will change our thinking, and especially when it won't cost more taxes than what they are paying now. All of the above improves the quality of life and, ultimately, property values.

To many who are involved in the sports arena, the unique soccer complex did not happen by accident; it was promoted by determined people, and of the new people who have moved into tow, it will have to have that same determination to obtain the 80 acres of the County Farm for baseball, soccer, football, etc. The public has got to make it happen. Remember, good ideas drift up from the bottom, not down from the top.

F.T. 'Mike' Graham
Libertyville

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LOCAL SPORTS DIGEST

Libertyville and Vernon Hills High Schools will offer a Red Cross Learn-To-Swim lessons this winter. Classes will begin Saturday, Jan. 27 and take place at 9, 10 and 11 a.m. on Saturday mornings. Children must be at least 4-years-old to enroll in the classes and should be ready to participate in a group lesson. Registration will be held at the Vernon Hills High School campus on Saturday, Dec. 2 from 8-9:30 a.m.. For further information, please call Jim Pardun at 932-2228 or John Fischl at 327-7072.

Now that Mother Nature is cooperating in providing the below freezing conditions necessary to create and maintain ice, **the Gurnee Park District** is in the process of preparing the rinks at Viking Park, Christine Thompson and Betty Russell park for ice skating.

In order for ice rinks to be skateable, the following criteria must be met. Five to seven inches of ground frost; an average temperature of 20 degrees or colder for five consecutive days; a minimum of five days to spray and freeze to make ice; and, the operational ice rinks must be swept and resurfaced as needed.

The Park's maintenance staff works between midnight-6 a.m. to ensure that skating conditions are safe and enjoyable for the District's residents. Please stay off the ice rink until rink is suitable for skating. A flag system is used at Betty Russell Park to alert skaters of the ice rink conditions. A green flag means that conditions are safe and the rink is open. A red flag means that conditions are unsafe and the rink is closed.

Weather permitting, the Gurnee Park District operates a hockey rink and figure skating rink at Betty Russell Community Park, located in the Pembrook area at 5300 Pinewood. A warming shelter with concessions and restrooms is located on site and is open from 4-9 p.m. on weekdays, 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Sat. and 12-6 p.m. on Sun. Unsupervised figure skating rinks are operated at Christine Thompson Park. located at Woodlawn Ave. and Belle Plaine Ave., and at Viking Park, 4374 Grand Ave. For a daily update on ice conditions, please call 599-3744.

Applications are now being evaluated for **The Ten Star All Star Summer Basketball Camp.**

Boys ages 8-19, and girls, ages 10-19, can apply. Players are selected by invitation only. Past participants include: Michael Jordan, Tim Duncan, Vince Carter, Jerry Stackhouse, Grant Hill, Bobby Hurley, Antawn Jamison, Christian Laettner, Tom Gugliotta, and Trajan Landgon.

Camp locations include: Champaign, Macomb, Redlands, Calif., Thousand Oaks, Calif., Sackville, NB Canada, Babson Park, Fla., Gainesvillla, Ga., Greencastle, Ind., Atchison, Kan., Midway, Ky., Hillsdale, Mich., Saint Paul, Minn., Fayette, Mo., Rochester, NY., Boiling Springs, NC., North Canton, Ohio, Lock Haven, Penn., Bristol, RI., Lebanon, Tenn., Commerce, Tex., Fort Worth, Tex., Blacksburg, Va., Olympia, Wash.

College basketball scholarships are possible for players named to The All-American team. For an evaluation form call (704) 568-6801 anytime.

The BoatUS. Foundation for Boating Safety and Clean Water is looking for creative, hands-on environmental boating projects to fund. For the third year, the Foundation, funded through individual donations and charitable grants, is offering non-profit volunteer organizations grants of up to $2,000 for local, community-based projects that encourage environmentally friendly boating and fishing.

Last year, the environmental program awarded over $11,000 in grants to 10 volunteer groups around the country. The program has funded projects ranging from setting up aluminum recycling programs at local marinas to educating boaters on oil spill prevention.

Applications for the "Clean Water Grants Program" must be postmarked by Feb. 1, 2001, and all funds awarded will be available April 30, 2001. Additional details on the program are available on the BoatUS Web Site at www.BoatUS.com. For additional information and to receive an application packet, call 1 (800) 262-8872 (1 (800) BOAT-USA).

Youth News and Notes

Mundelein AYSO spring and fall 2001 soccer registration dates are Saturday, January 13, 2001 from 9 a.m.-12 noon; Monday, Jan. 15, 2001 from 7-9 p.m.; and, Saturday, Jan. 20, 2001 from 9 a.m.-12 noon. Registration will be held in the basement of the Community Protestant Church, located at 418 N. Prairie (corner of Hawley and Prairie). Registration is open for boys and girls ages 5-14 (eighth-grade) as of Aug. 31, 2001. The cost is $95 per child for the entire year. Birth certificates are required for new applicants. For further information, please contact the Mundelein AYSO hotline number at (847) 949-6320.

The Grayslake Youth Baseball Association has set the days and times for its 2001 Little League Registration and Player Evaluations. In addition to the 7-8, 9-10 and 11-12-year-old leagues, the association has added a new Little League sanctioned program for 13 and 14-year-olds.

Due to rapid growth in the baseball program and playing field limitations, early registration is recommended to ensure a roster spot on a team.

Speaking of which, registration will be held at the State Bank of the Lakes on Center St. Jan. 6 from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. and Saturday, Jan. 13 from 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

Players must register and pay during one of the two days and times listed above in order to attend the Player Evaluation and participate in the 2001 baseball season.

The player evaluation will take place at the College of Lake County gymnasium on Saturday, Feb. 3 and Sunday, Feb. 11. The 7-8-year-old players will be evaluated from 8-10 a.m., the 9-10-year-olds 10 a.m.-12 noon, the 11-12-year-olds 12 noon-2 p.m., and the 13-14-year-olds from 2-4 p.m.

All players must attend one of the two evaluation days and times listed above for their age group. Players must have first registered in order to attend evaluation. Note that the age category for the four leagues is determined by the age that the player will be on August 1, 2001. (For example, a player who turns nine on July 4, 2001 will play in the 9-10-year-old league, whereas a player who turns nine on August 10, 2001 will play in the 7-8-year-old league.) Players should bring a glove and wear gym shoes and comfortable clothes.

Moving into its fourth year, Grayslake Youth Baseball will now have four leagues chartered with the international Little League Baseball organization. A Little League charter provides support, direction, and consistency of playing rules for the program. It also means that some Grayslake All-Star players have the opportunity, given the right mix of talent, skill, and luck, to either make a trip to a State Tournament or all the way to Williamsport, PA for the annual Little League World Series.

Team practices begin in late March-early April, with games starting at the end of April and continuing until the end of June. Tournament play for All-Star teams starts in early July. Game times are typically at 6 p.m. during the week and throughout the day on Saturdays.

Registration for **Grayslake Youth Soccer, AYSO Region 396** based in Grayslake, will be held on Saturday Jan. 13 and Saturday, Jan. 27, in the main gym at the College of Lake County, located on Washington Street in Grayslake. Registration will be from 1-5 p.m. on both days. Players and parents or guardians must register at one of these sessions. Boys and girls born after 9-1-86 and before 9-1-95 are eligible to play.

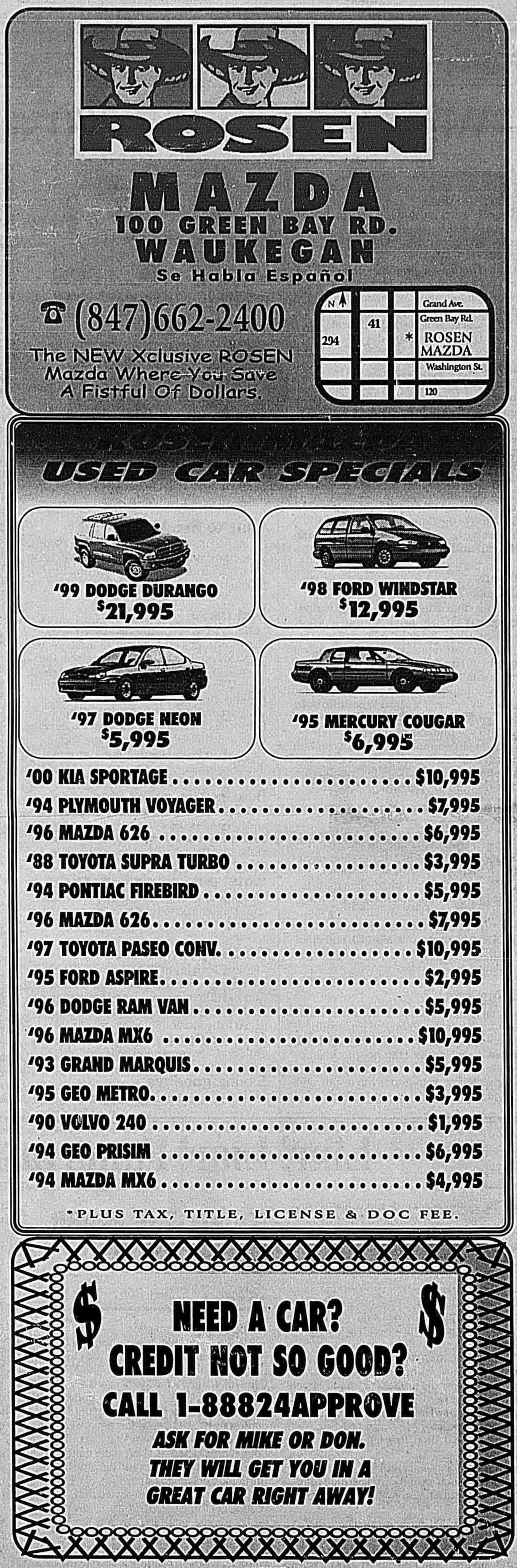
All players must attend for uniform sizing. Skill testing for new players will also take place. A check, payable to Grayslake AYSO Region 396, or cash for fees (no credit cards), will also be taken at this time. Also required will be the players name, address, and phone number of players' physicians as well as an emergency contact name and phone number. The players' health insurance information is also mandatory. Parent or guardians will be required to sign a waiver, so please attend the registration with your child.

Fees are $70 for the first child in a family, $65 for the second, and $60 for each additional child. After January 27 an additional $15 processing fee will be charged per player, without exception. The fees are for the full season, which consists of a spring and a fall schedule.

AYSO is an all-volunteer organizatation, and voluteers are needed as referees, coaches, field stripers, and much more. Information will be provided at registration. All volunteers will need to supply their driver's license and social security numbers.

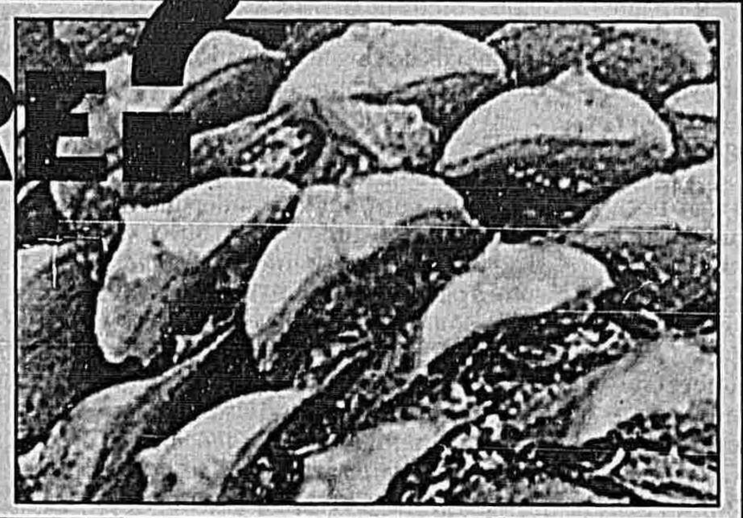
Please check in at the front desk at registration for important additional information. For any questions prior to registration, please call 223-7989 and leave a message.

Interested parties are also welcome to visit our website at www.grayslakesoccer.com.



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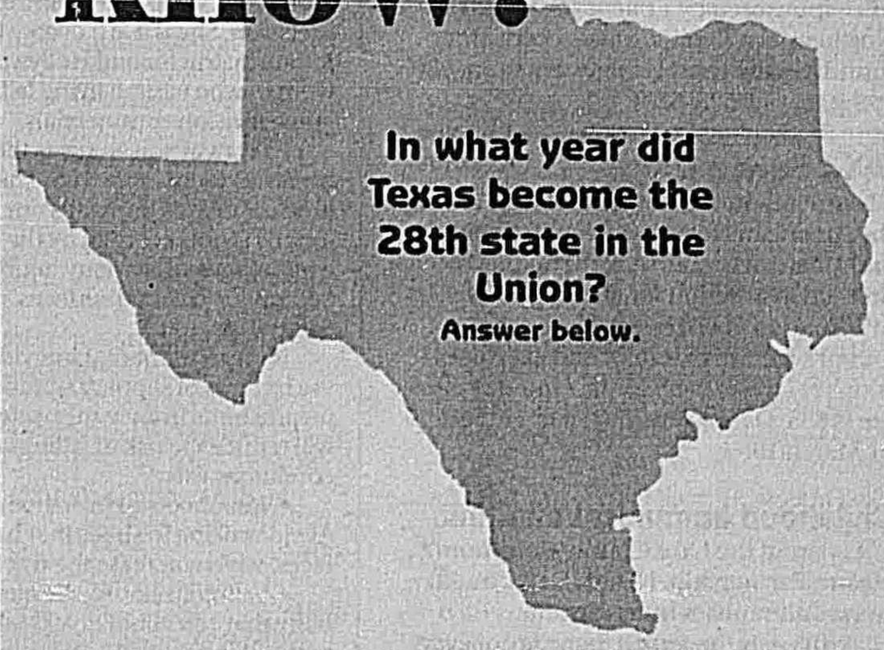
Winter Fill-In



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Did You know?



In what year did Texas become the 28th state in the Union?

Answer below.

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- On March 15, Mikhail Gorbachev was sworn in as the first executive president of the U.S.S.R.
- The 20th anniversary of Earth Day was celebrated around the world on April 22.
- On Nov. 29, the United States began to airlift food supplies to the U.S.S.R. as the economic crisis there deepened.

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combust

To burn



What type of fruit is a casaba?

Answer below.

ANSWERS



Pinecone

Did You Know? 1845

Food Fact: The casaba is a type of melon.

Winter Fill-In

1. Sledding
2. Ice skating
3. Skiing
4. Luging
5. Hockey
6. Langlauf
7. Snowshoeing
8. Sleigh ride
9. Dogsledding
10. Ice dancing
11. Snowboarding
12. Slalom

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CPR: Save a Life

Learn infant, child and adult CPR through the American Heart Association Pediatric and Heartsaver course. Participants receive first-aid instruction for choking, as well as information about heart disease, causes and prevention of injury, and cardiopulmonary arrests in children. One-day class fee is $35. Dates: Saturday, Jan. 13, Feb. 10 or March 10.

Childhood Immunization Clinic

As part of the Lake County Community Health Partnership, Health Department nurses administer immunizations on a walk-in basis the fourth Saturday of every month at LFH's Health Education Center. Some restrictions may apply to Hepatitis B shot. Please bring your child's immunization records with you. The cost is $8 per dose; no one will be turned away due to inability to pay. Call the Health Department for details, 360-3114. Dates: Saturday, Jan. 27, Feb. 24 or March 24 at 9 to 11 p.m.

CONDELL HEALTH NETWORK

Centre Lights Cafe

On Monday, Jan. 8 - 4 to 8 p.m., Centre Lights Cafe at Centre Club, 200 W. Golf Rd., Libertyville, serves "Centre Lights Seniors" Dinner at $6 a person every Monday. 573-4373.

Looking Up Bereavement Support Group

On Wednesday, Jan. 10 at 7 p.m., The Looking Up Bereavement Support Group is an ongoing program sponsored by Condell Medical Center Hospice. This session in the Living Room of the Condell Day Center for Intergenerational Care is open to the public for listening, talking and sharing feelings. 816-8848.

Prepared Childbirth Class

On Saturday, Jan. 13 - 8:15 a.m., Condell Medical Center's one-day Prepared Childbirth Class begins. Call Perinatal Education, 362-2905, ext. 5407.

Childbirth Education Classes

The childbirth education classes at Condell Medical Center, 801 S. Milwaukee Ave., Libertyville, will enhance and complement your doctor's advice. Taught by trained, certified instructors, these classes provide understanding, support and information that will take the expectant couple from pregnancy through the postpartum period, and help them to adjust to the changes that having a baby brings. Class cover a variety of subjects including Gamper Natural Childbirth, Early Pregnancy, Childbirth Refresher Class, Infant Development, Infant and Tot CPR and Safety, Basically Breast-Feeding, Breast-feeding and Working and Caring for Baby, Sibling Classes are also available. It is recommended that you register early in your pregnancy. Call 362-2905, ext. 5407 or Español: 362-2905, ext. 1289.

Physician Referral

Physician Referral uses a computerized system to conveniently match your needs with a doctor from Condell's medical Staff listing more than 500 physicians. The coordinator will assist you in scheduling your first appointment with your new physician. DOC-2905, ext. 5610, or visit our Web site at www.condell.org.

Small steps for safety on snow and ice

Sandra Gimpel fell more than 500 times in the last year-without serious injury. Not so fortunate were some 16,000 Americans who die each year from falls, according to the National Safety Council (NSC).

The difference? Gimpel's falls were not accidental, but planned and executed with precision. She is a 3rd degree black belt Karate instructor and Hollywood stunt woman who earns a living falling in movies and television commercials.

Falls rival poisoning as the number one home accident in the U.S. The number of injuries or deaths from falls due to winter conditions is not recorded by the NSC. But, safety experts agree that many injuries result from falls on ice-covered surfaces.

Safety Tips

It's important that individuals recognize the hazards of slippery surfaces. Here are helpful hints from winter-safety experts that will reduce the risk of falling when slippery conditions exist:

• Wear boots or overshoes with soles. Avoid walking in shoes that have smooth surfaces, which increase the risk of slipping.

•Walk consciously. Be alert to the possibility that you could quickly slip on an unseen patch of ice. Avoid the temptation to run to catch a bus or beat traffic when crossing a street.

•Walk cautiously. Your arms help keep you balanced, so keep hands out of pockets and avoid carrying heavy loads that may cause you to become off balance.

•Walk "small." Avoid an erect, marching posture. Look to see ahead of where you step. When you step on icy areas, take short, shuffling steps, curl your toes under and walk as flatfooted as possible.

• Remove snow immediately before it becomes packed or turns to ice. Keep your porch stoops, steps, walks and driveways free of ice by frequently applying ice melter granules. This is the best way to prevent formation of dangerous ice patches. Using a potassium-based melter, such as Safe Step, instead of salt will prevent damage to concrete, grass and other vegetation or to carpets and floors should you track in some.

Falling Safely

Even when you practice safe walking habits, slipping on ice is sometimes unavoidable.

"It takes less than two seconds from the moment you slip until you hit the ground," says Sandra Gimpel. "That's precious little time to react. In that instant, the risk is an injury to your head, a wrist, hip or shoulder." Gimpel says knowing how to fall will help you reduce the risk of injury. In the stunts she performs and the Karate courses she teaches, Gimpel uses a tuck-and-roll principle.

"It's important to tuck your body, lift your head and avoid trying to break the fall with a hand, which can cause a wrist injury," says Gimpel. "The idea is to make yourself as small as possible by rolling up into a ball." She suggests you practice the techniques as follows:

• Sit on the floor with your legs out flat in front of you. To simulate a backwards fall, slowly begin to lie back toward the floor and quickly tuck your head forward, chin to chest. At the same time, lift your knees to your chest and extend your arms away from your body and "slap" the ground with your palms and forearms. This maneuver will help prevent your head, wrists and elbows from hitting the ground.

•Assume the original position. To practice a sideways fall - which usually causes a shoulder, hip, elbow or wrist injury - begin to roll to one side or the other. As you do so, lay out your arm parallel to your body so that your forearm, not your wrist or shoulder, is first to contact the floor. Also, lift your head toward your shoulder opposite the fall. Next, practice the procedure in the opposite direction.

•From a kneeling position, practice for a potential front fall. Begin to lean forward and as you fall, roll to one side, laying out your arm parallel to your body, again so the forearm and not your wrist makes contact with the floor. Lift your head to the opposite shoulder and continue to roll.

Following these guidelines may not qualify you to handle movie stunts, but they can help protect you from serious injury this winter.

Public health director reports teen births fall to 40-year low

The percentage of births to Illinois teenagers last year dropped to the lowest level in 40 years, Dr. John R. Lumpkin, state public health director, announced.

Of the 182,027 births to Illinois women in 1999, 12.0 percent, or 21,833, were to girls 19 years of age or younger, down from 12.4 percent (22,632) in 1998 and the lowest since 11.8 percent was recorded in 1959. This is the fifth consecutive year that the percentage of teen births has declined.

"These statistics are a testament to the progress we have made in this state to reduce teen births," Governor George H. Ryan said. "It appears teens are getting message that postponing sexual activity is the right thing to do, but we still have work to do. Let's build on this good news and continue our efforts towards lowering the number of teen births in Illinois."

Dr. John R. Lumpkin, state public health director, said many reasons have been given for the decline in teen births, including concerns about HIV/AIDS and other sexually transmitted disease, the consequences of unwanted pregnancy, pro-abstinence messages, sex education programs in the schools and teens simply deciding that sex can wait.

"There is a lot of credit to be spread around and we would ask everyone who has an impact in helping teens make this important decision about their health to redouble those efforts," Dr. Lumpkin said. "Unmarried teenagers are ill-prepared to deal with the emotional, psychological and financial challenges related to parenthood and they turn to people they trust — their family, friends, doctors, teachers, priest or minister — for advice and guidance."

Dr. Lumpkin said teen moms and their babies face more health risks because they are less likely to receive timely prenatal care and more likely to have no care at all, more likely to smoke and less likely to gain the recommended weight during pregnancy. As a result, he said, babies born to teenagers are at an elevated risk of low birthweight, or serious and long-term disability and of dying during the first year of life. The drop in teen births was particularly sharp among girls 17 years of age and younger, with 7,830 babies born (36 percent of all teen births) compared to 8,748 babies (39 percent of all teen births in 1998. Births to 18- and 19-year olds totaled 14,003, up from the 13,884 reported in 1998.

The number of babies born in 1999 to African-American teenagers and whites fell from the previous year, most dramatically among black teens, while births to Hispanic teens increased slightly.

African-American teenagers — 98 percent of whom were not married — accounted for 38 percent of all teen births, or 8,363, compared with 40 percent or 9,086 births in 1998. White teens — 81 percent of whom were not married — comprised 35 percent of the total teen births or 7,596 babies, compared with 35 percent or 7,900 births in 1998. Hispanic or Latina teenagers — 75 percent of whom were not married — gave birth to 26 percent of the total teen births or 5,676 babies, compared with 24 percent or 5,446 babies in 1998.

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PARENT'S PLACE

Dr. Sherri Singer

Hi Dr. Singer,

We have 2 kids, aged 5 and 7. Our problem is that grandma and grandpa are living with us on a permanent basis and they consistently get in the way of our discipline decisions. We set the rules and the kids know that they can get my parents on their side and get out of it. It is infinitely frustrating because when the kids get out of control based on this interference, then my parents begin to comment on how inept they think I am at controlling my kids. I have always been very sensitive to their commentary. My husband is about ready to throw his hands up in the air! It's maddening. Do other people go through this? Can you suggest anything? Signed...Frazzled.

Dear Frazzled,

You've got a tough situation, but not one that is uncommon! I hear this at least 2-3 times a week in my office and I usually have some very straightforward things to say. Grandparent commentary is pretty much a trait of the American family, however, when it gets to the point of derailing parental discipline decisions, it is destructive for everyone involved. Try not to be too angry though, Grandma and Grandpa just want to be involved and a part of the family decisions. They live with you and therefore, need to be taken into consideration. If you try to ignore, they will need to push harder. If you try to scold, they will become defensive and become the enemy. There are better ways.

You did not mention what type of discipline you are using so it is difficult for me to comment on whether your parent's opinion might have some validity. If you are doing appropriate discipline with your kids, and your parent's commentary is off target, the first thing I would tell you is that you need to not take the commentary to heart. Try and get a little bit of mental distance from this so that you can feel more stable about it. What your parents think about how you raise your kids should not be your primary concern as long as you are being appropriate about your discipline.

The best way to handle this is to set up a structured behavior program in your household that everyone can use the same way *. The most important thing in helping kids to behave is consistency and logic. Language needs to be the same. Action needs to be the same. As I said before, Grandma and Grandpa are trying to be a part of the family, but they are doing it in a haphazard way. Why not give them specific tasks to do with regard to discipline. It might make them feel really important that you are asking them to be involved. A good program will have specific lines of action for each and every misbehavior. If you can help to train them in the ways of the behavior program and make them feel involved like it is important for them to be a back-up for you, it may completely change their viewpoint of the problem and help them to feel more on your side. The important thing is that everyone in the household should know the behavior program "backwards and forwards" so that it is automatic and there isn't any hesitation. When you and the grandparents start to squabble over who is right about what should be done, the kids are watching that and coming to the conclusion that all adults in this household are out of control and ineffective. The logical outgrowth of that is more bad behavior.

Try and explain to the grandparents the philosophy behind your discipline at a time when things are calm and not out of control. If they are reasonable people, and you are being appropriate with your discipline, they will be able to understand. Since I don't know anything about your household, I will also comment on the "unreasonable" alternative.

If they are unreasonable and are not listening to anything you have to say, it is time to get everyone in to a session with a therapist who can play referee. Reality says that you are the parents and the owners of this home. The grandparents are guests in your home and not the parents of these kids. If you are doing abusive things to the kids, it is the grandparents duty to stop that from happening, however, if it is about you trying to set rules and trying to follow through in a non-abusive way, they should not be in the primary role or in the middle of it, and need to be told that. In fact, there may be many other Psychological dynamics from your own childhood playing out here that may need therapeutic intervention with a Psychologist. You might be getting very defensive right from the start based on old problems and that may color your responses. You need to decide whether that is the case or not. At any rate, if they are being completely unreasonable and not listening at all, and it is totally disruptive to everyone's life in an ongoing way, you might need to think about making other living arrangements for them. That is a tough decision and a decision that only you can make. It isn't something that anyone can tell you to do. You just need to weigh your options here and try to be realistic about what is best for everyone involved. I am glad to consult with you if you'd like to set up a time. Especially if you think about relocating the grandparents, I'd highly recommend that you do at least 3 or 4 sessions with a neutral person, a therapist, so that you can make your decision from conscious thought and not from "heat of the moment" thinking.

* Behavior program referred to in this column is a structured specific program offered by Dr. Singer and is far more detailed than what is mentioned in this column. For best results, full program should be used. For more info call number below.

Dr. Sherri Singer is a Licensed Clinical Psychologist and Childhood Behavior Specialist. She regularly works in person with many readers of this column, helping them to significantly improve their kid's behavior and learning skills fast. Among many other services, she offers a "Parent Survival Training" class for parents. It lasts 3 weeks and has helped countless families to restore good behavior to their kids and peace and quiet to their homes! She is the author of, "Why Kids Misbehave" and "Raising Kids Who Don't Become Your Worst Nightmare." For an appointment or to purchase either of Dr. Singer's books, please call (847) 577-8832 or (708) 962-2549.

Stuttering causes school woes

New brochure offers nine new tips for teachers

When teachers hear a child begin to stutter, the immediate reaction is one of concern mixed with a host of urgent questions.

Should they call on him in class or will that only make the stuttering worse? How should they handle teasing by other children? What should they do about reading aloud?

The nonprofit Stuttering Foundation answers these and many other questions in its updated brochure for the school year 2000-2001, 'The Child Who Stutters at School: Notes to the Teacher'.

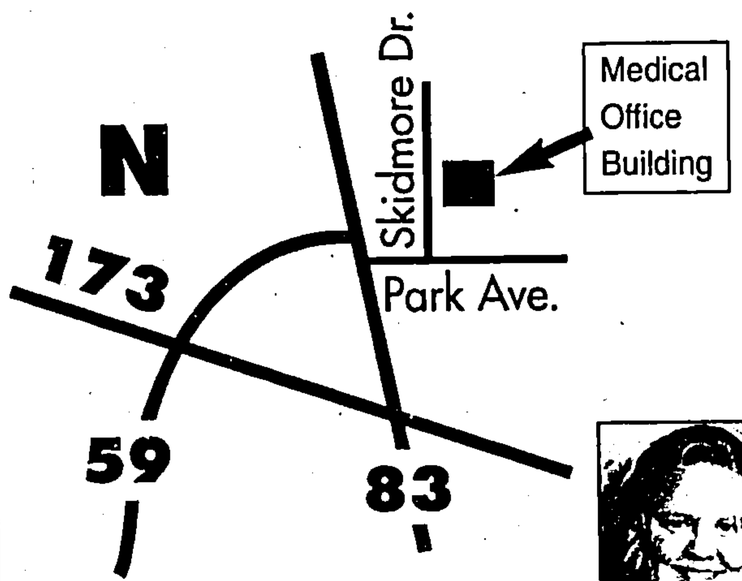
"Young children are busily learning to talk," explains Dr. Lisa Scott Trautman of Wichita State University. "As such, they may make speech 'mistakes', such as effortless repetitions and prolonging of sounds. In most instances," she adds, "this is very normal. If parents and teachers listen to and answer these young children in a patient, calm, unemotional way, the child's speech will probably return to normal."

Some children, however, will go beyond the normal and begin to repeat and prolong sounds markedly," explains Scott Trautman. "They may begin to struggle, tense up and become frustrated in their efforts to talk. These children need help."

"Any time teachers are concerned about a child's fluency," notes Jane Fraser, president of the Stuttering Foundation, "they should consult with the school speech clinician as well as the parents to make sure their approach to the child's speech is consistent." She advises teachers, "Talk with the child privately and reassure him or her of your support; let them know that you are aware of their stuttering and that you accept it - and them."

For more answers to questions about stuttering and a free copy of 'The Child Who Stutters at School: Notes to the Teacher' or 'El Nino Que Tartamudea en la Escuela' in Spanish, contact the Stuttering Foundation of America, P.O. Box 11749, Memphis, TN 38111; 1-800-992-9392; e-mail us at stutter@vantek. net. or download these brochures directly from our Web site at www.stutteringhelp.org. The 53-year-old nonprofit foundation also offers 24 books and nineteen videotapes on stuttering.

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OBITUARIES

June L. Greene (nee Beamesderfer)

Age 83 of Round Lake Park passed away Tuesday, Dec. 26, 2000 at the Good Shepherd Hospital in Barrington. A resident of Round Lake Park the past 20 years formerly of Fox River Grove.

She leaves her sister, Evelyn Eddy of Bryan, Ohio. She is preceded in death by her parents and husband, Harrington Greene.

Services and Interment was privately held.

Memorials may be given to the Charity of choice in memory of June.

Arrangements were entrusted to Strang Funeral Chapel and Crematorium Ltd., Grayslake.

William Bilske

Age 72 of Fox Lake, passed away Tuesday, Dec. 26, 2000 at the Condell Medical Center, Libertyville. He was born in Chicago, Dec. 15, 1928.

He leaves two daughters, Tracy (Mialo Guzman) Schwartz of Fox Lake and Ann Cunnings of Las Vegas, Nev. Preceding him in death was his wife, Carolyn (nee Stinson) in 1994.

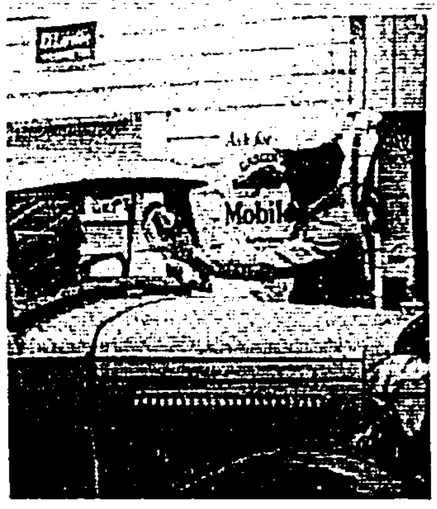
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Memorial Services were held Dec. 29 at the Strang Funeral Chapel and Crematorium Ltd., Grayslake with the Rev. Lisle J. Kauffman officiating.

Interment was private.

Memorials may be made to the American Diabetes Association, Northern Illinois Affiliate, Inc. 6 N. Michigan Ave., Suite 1202, Chicago, IL, 60602.

George Menczynski

Age 93 of Antioch, formerly of Chicago, passed away Tuesday, Dec. 26, 2000 at St. Therese Medical Center, Waukegan. He was born Sept. 4, 1907 in Chicago. On Nov. 28, 1934 he married Helen Bezrucki in Chicago and she preceded him in death on April 15, 1994.

Survivors include two daughters, Shirley Shickel of Antioch and Mary Arlene Menczynski of Chicago. He is preceded in death by his wife and parents.

Funeral Services with Mass of Christian Burial was held Dec. 29 at St. Peter Church, Antioch.

Friends called at the Strang Funeral Home of Antioch.

Interment was at St. Adalbert Cemetery in Niles.

Those desiring may make memorial contributions to the Antioch Rescue Squad in his memory.

Georgianna M. 'Tiny' Runnfeldt

Age 74 of Antioch, passed away Friday, Dec. 29, 2000 at Victory Memorial Hospital, Waukegan. She was born Sept. 18, 1926 in Chicago.

Survivors include her husband, Ralph; three sons, Ralph II (Connie) of Spring Grove, Keith of Trevor, Wis. and David of Antioch. She is preceded in death by her parents.

Funeral Services were held Jan. 4, at the Strang Funeral Home of Antioch with Rev. Jerry Walton, officiating.

Interment was at Irving Park Cemetery, Chicago.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Leukemia Research Foundation, 820 Davis St., Suite 420, Evanston, IL 60201 in her memory.

Leona M. Reid (nee Beese)

Age 70 of Lake Zurich, passed away Dec. 30, 2000 in Cuba Township. She was born Oct. 2, 1930 in Wheeling.

Survivors include her husband, Edward H. and children, Dale E. (Jayne), Sherry L. LaMont of South Dakota, Rick A. (Debbie) of Washington and Sheila M. Brown of Wauconda.

Visitation of family and friends was held Jan. 3, at Ahlgrim & Sons Funeral Home, Lake Zurich.

Interment was at the Lake Zurich Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to St. Peter UCC Music Fund, 47 Church St., Lake Zurich, IL 60047.

Roy H. Anderson

Age 84 of Tucson, Ariz., formerly of Round Lake, passed away Saturday, Dec. 16, 2000 at St. Mary's Hospital, Tucson, Ariz. He was born May 4, 1916 in Waukegan where he also graduated from high school. He lived with his wife and children for seven years in Sioux City, Iowa and over 25 years in Round Lake. Mr. Anderson was a retired teamster, from Spinney Run Farms, Libertyville and was active at St. Andrews Episcopal Church in Grayslake where he was Sr. Warden and served on the vestry. He was also a member of St. Andrews Episcopal Church, 545 S. 5th Ave., Tucson, Ariz. 85701.

He is survived by his loving wife of 64 years, Lorene Anderson; two daughters, Sherry Mann of Tucson, Ariz. and Sandra Jo Mauck of Chicago; his sister, Irene Plant of Indianapolis and sister-in-law, Hazel Cook of Ft. Collins. He is also survived by four grandchildren, Kathleen Romagnoli (Carlo), Allison Hannigan (Russell), Leslie Obenauf (Randall) and Katherine Mann (Paul), 10 great-grandchildren and many loving nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his parents, Jennie and Charles Anderson, a grandson, Stephen Charles and four sisters, Helen, Edythe, Ethel and Lillian.

A Memorial Requiem Mass was held Dec. 23 at 11 a.m. at St. Andrews Church.

The family has asked that in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Southern Arizona Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association or to St. Andrews Episcopal Church Memorial Fund.

Donald Lloyd Campbell

Age 68 of Twin Lakes, Wis. formerly of Fox Lake, McHenry and Chicago, died on Saturday, Dec. 30, 2000 at his daughter's home.

Survivors include, his sons, Donald (Peggy) L. Campbell II, Fox Lake, Douglas (Lori) K. Campbell, Ingleside; his daughter, Dawn Marie (Michael) Nellessen with whom he spent his last days.

Private arrangements were completed by the K. K. Hamsher Funeral Home Ltd., Fox Lake (The Chapel on the Lake).

Memorials to the LaSalette Missionaries in Twin Lakes, Wis. will be appreciated in his memory.

Ethel 'Dot' Kirkpatrick Altman

Age 94, a resident of Waukegan for 12 years, died Jan. 2, 2001 at Victory Memorial Hospital, Waukegan. She was born June 15, 1906 in Delmont, Penn.

She is survived by four grandchildren, Dr. Timothy C. (Patricia) of Libertyville, Kenneth E. of Saugatuck, Mich., David L. (Paula) of Brookfield, Wis., Kathy (Barry) Dowe of Lindenhurst; seven grandchildren and a daughter-in-law, Ardis of Lindenhurst. She is preceded in death by her husband, Clarence in 1974 and one son, Clayton E. in 1994.

There was no visitation.

Private interment was held at Westmooreland Memorial Cemetery in Greensburg, Penn.

Memorial contributions may be made to a charity of your choice.

Victor Thomas Shearman

Age 83 of Antioch passed away Friday, Dec. 29, 2000 at Northern Illinois Medical Center in McHenry. He was born May 24, 1917 in Montreal, Canada. He came to the United States to Chicago and moved to Antioch in 1952. On June 8, 1946 he married Barbara Telinski in Chicago and she preceded him in death on Sept. 3, 1991.

Survivors include a son, Greg (Colleen) of Burlington, Wis.

Funeral Services with Mass of Christian Burial was held Jan. 4 at St. Peter Church, Antioch.

Visitation of friends and family was held at Strang Funeral Home of Antioch.

Interment was at Hillside Cemetery, Antioch.

Patricia Healy

Funeral Services for Mrs. Healy will be held from the graveside in Greenwood Cemetery, Eustis, Fla. at 11 a.m., Friday, Jan. 5, 2001 with her son Daniel F. DiVenanzo officiating.

Arrangements were made by Hamlin and Hilbish Funeral Directors, Eustis, Fla.

Glenmore J. Runnion

Age 67 of Fox Lake, passed away following an illness on Dec. 17, 2000 at Zion. He was born Sept. 29, 1933 in Chicago.

Survivors include his wife, Ingrid Runnion; daughters, Christine Runnion and Michelle (Patrick) Welter.

A Memorial Service was held at Lutheran Church of All Saints in Fox Lake on Dec. 21.

Arrangements were handled by Cremation Society of Illinois.

Kevin M. Tiani

Age 23 of Round Lake Beach, died Monday, Jan. 1, 2001 at Froedert Memorial Lutheran Hospital in Milwaukee, Wis. He was born Aug. 16, 1977 in Waukegan to Eugene and Evelyn J. (Cantu) Tiani. He was a resident of Waukegan until 1989, when he moved to Round Lake Beach. Educated at Grayslake Middle School and Round Lake High School, he graduated in 1995. He played basketball for Wesley Free Methodist Church of Waukegan and volleyball for Faith Baptist Church of Grayslake. Activities he enjoyed were bowling on a league in Round Lake and playing billiards.

He is survived by his parents, Eugene and Evelyn Tiani of Round Lake Beach; his two sisters, Kellie and Tanya Tiani of Round Lake Beach; his three brothers, Gene (Vee Bouchareune) Tiani of Mundelein and Tony and Jason Tiani of Round Lake Beach; his fiancé', Nicole Overbey of Barrington Hills; his maternal grandfather, Leo (Sadie) Cantu of Baton Rouge, La.; his maternal grandmother, Jacqueline Schueber of Bradenton, Fla.; his paternal grandparents, Mr/Mrs. Domenic Tiani of Round Lake Beach; two aunts. Sharon (Larry) Vandervere of Beach Park and Melody Brion of Zion; and three uncles, Mark Cantu of Bradenton, Fla., Daniel (Jackie) Tiani of Glendale Heights and Nicholas (Brenda) Tiani of Gurnee.

Visitation of family and friends was held Jan. 4 at Justen's Round Lake Funeral Home, Round Lake.

The Funeral Service will be held at 10:30 a.m. Friday, Jan. 5 at the Justen's Round Lake Funeral Home, 222 N. Rosedale Ct., (At Cedar Lake Rd.), Round Lake, with the Rev. Zach Turner officiating.

Interment was at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery in Libertyville.

In lieu of flowers, memorials would be appreciated to the family.

Edna Fechtner (nee Meyer)

Age 68 of Gurnee, passed to the heavenly world on Monday, Jan. 1, 2001 at the Manor Care Facility in Libertyville. Born July 5, 1912 in Chicago, the daughter of

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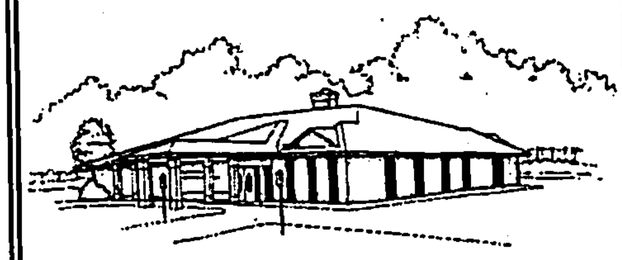
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William (Emma nee Scharf) Meyer.

She leaves her children, Carol (Paul) Anhalt of Lindenhurst, Don (Judy) Fechtner of Grayslake. She is preceded in death by her parents, and husband, Otto Ray Fechtner on Dec. 4, 2000.

Friends of the family may visit on Friday, Jan. 5 at the Strang Funeral Chapel and Crematorium Ltd., 410 E. Belvidere St., Grayslake from 6:30-9 p.m.

Baha'i Devotional program will be held at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 6 at the Funeral Chapel.

Interment will follow at the Warren Cemetery in Gurnee.

Memorials may be given to the charity of choice in memory of Mrs. Fechtner.

Francis Bollig

Age 92, born March 23, 1908 in Germantown, Juneau County, Wis., to Matthew Bollig and Anna Laskowski. She was the second youngest of nine surviving children. He gave up farming to work in Chicago. He started with the American Can Company. Moved on to Grocers Terminal Warehouse (a grocery suppliers market) and retired from General Warehouse in 1975 at age 67. He was exempted from military duty during WWII because of his job. He is a honorable member of the International Aerospace and Machinists Union Local 701 for 45 plus years. He married Pearl Agnes Stankiewicz on June 25, 1938 at St. Pius Catholic Church in Chicago. They moved to St. Rose of Lima Parish Catholic Church where he was a member of the Holy Name Society (Pre Knights of Columbus) for 37 years. He was involved with his neighborhood and served as a contact person to meet with former Mayor Richard J. Daley to eliminate a hazardous situation that developed in the area.

He and his family have been Fox Lake summer residents and members of St. Bede Church since 1947 and full time residents since 1972 or 3. He was instrumental in having water and sewer lines brought down into his street in 1949. After retirement he enjoyed the winter months in St. James City, Fla. He enjoyed fishing and hunting but was an advocate of farming, open space and animal protection for the following generations.

One sister, Marie Rychetsky, 95 of Lyons survives him. He is also survived by his daughter and full time caregiver Rose of Fox Lake; his daughter Phyllis Young (Kenneth) of Chicago; one grand-daughter, Roseanne Boutcher (Adam) of Calumet City; one grandson, Ken Jr. of Munster, Ind.; one son, Jerome (Laryssa Oryszczuk) and two grandsons, Peter and David Bollig of Orland Park. Jerry assisted in his father's care with multiple medical appointments and by shopping for groceries, medical supplies and various household items. He is pre-deceased by his parents; Matt, John Joe Henry, infant twins and dad, Ann, Catherine, Margaret, infant daughter and Marie Kathleen Young, 17 month old granddaughter (Dec. 12, 1969); wife, Pearl (Stankiewicz) Bollig of Neillsville, Wis.; one very dear lady friend, Evelyn (Tonyon) Wagner of Fox Lake and one lady friend, Edna Brooks of Kalamazoo, Mich.

Private Services were arranged for by K. K. Hamsher Funeral Home (The Chapel on the Lake)

Memorials for the American Diabetes Association; Save-a-Pet, or for your favorite charity will be appreciated by the family.

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE FOR FILING OF NOMINATING PETITIONS

"Notice is hereby given that nominating petitions for candidates for election to the office of member of the Board of Education of the Lincolnshire-Prairie View School District No. 103 shall be filed with Angela Berka or Gary L. VanDenBerge, located at the Administrative Offices Conference Room, 1370 Riverwoods Road, Lincolnshire, Illinois 60069.

The first date for filing petitions is January 16, 2001, and the last date for filing petitions is January 23, 2001.

Filing hours will be 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. from January 16, 2001 through January 22, 2001, and 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on January 23, 2001.

Four members are to be elected for full terms.

All candidates for election must file a Statement of Economic Interests with the County Clerk, and must file a receipt from the County Clerk prior to the end of the filing period on January 23, 20012.

Ballot position shall be determined as follows:

1. Ballot position for petitions received by mail on the first day for filing and for petitions presented at 8:00 a.m. on the first day for filing shall be determined by lot at a public drawing.
2. Ballot positions for all other petitions shall be in the order in which they were filed.

By order of the Board of Education of District 103.

Dated this 11th day of December, 2000.

Donald Uteg
President
Angela Berka
Secretary
1200E-3784-LB
December 29, 2000
January 5, 2001

PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME APPLICATION

NAME OF BUSINESS: Eznetinfo
NATURE/PURPOSE: The Information Service Company
ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 1608 Williams Avenue, Round Lake Beach, IL 60073, (847) 740-6391.
1115 Hupmobile Dr., NE-Albuquerque, NM 87123, (505) 296-4934.
NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Zoran J. Bobic, 1608 Williams Ave, Round Lake Beach, IL 60073, (847) 740-6391. *(physical)* Sinisa M. Djordjevic, 1115 Hupmobile Dr. NE, Albuquerque, NM 87123, (505) 296-4934. *(Mailing)*
STATE OF ILLINOIS)
COUNTY OF LAKE)

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true or real full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.
/s/ Zoran J. Bobic
December 6, 2000
/s/ Sinisa M. Djordjevic
December 6, 2000

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 18th day of December, 2000.

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Vernadail M. Sorrentino
Notary Public
Received: Dec. 18, 2000
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
1200E-3779-RL
December 29, 2000
January 5, 2001
January 12, 2001

PUBLIC NOTICE
VILLAGE OF FOX LAKE BOARD MEETING SCHEDULE 2001

Please be advised the following is a list of dates of the calendar year 2001 for the regular scheduled meetings of the Village of Fox Lake Board of Trustees, Lake and McHenry County, Illinois. The meetings are held at 301 S. Route 59, Fox Lake, Illinois, 60020, in the Council Chambers at 7:30 p.m.:

Tuesday, January 2, 2001	Monday, July 2, 2001
Monday, January 8, 2001	Monday, July 9, 2001
Monday, January 15, 2001	Monday, July 16, 2001
Monday, February 5, 2001	Monday, August 6, 2001
Monday, February 12, 2001	Monday, August 13, 2001
Tuesday, February 20, 2001	Monday, August 20, 2001
Monday, March 5, 2001	Tuesday, September 4, 2001
Monday, March 5, 2001	Monday, September 10, 2001
Monday, March 19, 2001	Monday, September 17, 2001
Monday, April 2, 2001	Monday, October 1, 2001
Monday, April 9, 2001	Monday, October 8, 2001
Monday, April 16, 2001	Monday, October 15, 2001
Monday, May 7, 2001	Monday, November 5, 2001
Monday, May 14, 2001	Tuesday, November 13, 2001
Monday, May 21, 2001	Monday, November 19, 2001
Monday, June 4, 2001	Monday, December 3, 2001
Monday, June 11, 2001	Monday, December 10, 2001
Monday, June 18, 2001	Monday, December 17, 2001

Cindy Voelz
Village Clerk

0100A-3791-FL
January 5, 2001

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
) SS
COUNTY OF LAKE)

PUBLIC NOTICE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

JOE L. HODGES, Petitioner v. MINI R. HODGES, Respondent) No. 00 D2430

PUBLICATION NOTICE

The requisite Affidavit for Publication having been filed, notice is hereby given to you, MINI R. HODGES, also known as MINI RUTH HODGES, Respondent, that a petition has been filed in the Circuit Court of Lake County, Illinois, by the Petitioner for Dissolution of Marriage and for you, MINI R. HODGES, Respondent, to file your response to said petition or otherwise make your appearance therein, in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Lake County, 18N. County Street, Waukegan, Illinois, on or before the 26th day of January 2001; default may be entered against you at any time after that date; Judgment for Dissolution of Marriage in accordance with the prayer of this Petition will thereafter be entered.
Dated this 12 day of December 2000.

/s/ Sally D. Coffelt
SALLY D. COFFELT
Clerk of the Court

Ronald E. Griesheimer
Griesheimer & Associates
216 Madison St.
Waukegan, IL 60085
(847) 244-3131

1200D-3771-GP
December 22, 2000
December 29, 2000
January 5, 2001

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
) SS
COUNTY OF LAKE)

PUBLIC NOTICE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

IN RE THE MARRIAGE OF Michelle A. Hwang, Petitioner vs. Hasoo Hwang, Respondent) 00 D 2196

PUBLICATION NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, In Re: The Marriage of MICHELLE A. HWANG, Petitioner, and HASOO HWANG, Respondent, Case Number 99 D 2196;

The requisite Affidavit for Publication having been filed, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO YOU, HASOO HWANG, that a suit has been filed in the Circuit Court of the Nineteenth Judicial circuit, Lake County, Illinois, by the Petitioner, MICHELLE A. HWANG, against you, HASOO HWANG, for a Judgment for Dissolution of Marriage and for other relief; that a Summons duly issued against you as provided by law and that said suit is still pending.

NOW, THEREFORE, unless you, HASOO HWANG, file your Response to the Petition in said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein in the said Circuit Court of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit, Lake County, Illinois, held in the Courthouse in the City of Waukegan, Illinois, on or before the 22nd day of January, 2001, a default may be entered against you at any time after that date, and a Judgment for Dissolution of Marriage will be entered in accordance with the prayer of the said Petition.

SALLY D. COFFELT
Clerk of the Circuit Court
Lake County, Waukegan, IL

James E. Fluri
Attorney for Petitioner
209 W. Madison Street
Waukegan, Illinois 60085
847-336-9853

1200D-3776-GP
December 22, 2000
December 29, 2000
January 5, 2001

PUBLIC NOTICE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

HOUSEHOLD FINANCE CORPORATION III, Plaintiff, v. JOSE SANCHEZ, RHONDA R. SANCHEZ, NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, UNKNOWN TENANTS, AND UNKNOWN OWNERS, Defendant (s).) No. 00 CH 1273

PUBLICATION NOTICE

The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given to you: JOSE SANCHEZ, RHONDA R. SANCHEZ, Defendants in the above entitled suit, that said suit has been commenced in the Circuit Court of Lake County, Chancery Division, by the said Plaintiff, against you and other Defendants, praying for Foreclosure of a certain Real Estate Mortgage conveying the premises described as follows, to wit:

THE SOUTH 29 FEET (MEASURED ALONG THE EASTERLY SIDE OF THE PUBLIC ROAD KNOWN AS GRACE AVENUE) OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PREMISES: THAT PART OF THE NORTH 1/2 OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF FRACTIONAL SECTION 3, TOWNSHIP 45 NORTH, RANGE 9, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS, TO WIT: COMMENCING ON THE WEST BANK OF FOX LAKE AT A POINT 330 FEET SOUTH OF THE NORTH LINE OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 3; THENCE NORTH 89 1/2 DEGREES WEST, 448 FEET TO THE EAST SIDE OF THE PUBLIC ROAD, 132 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING OF THE PREMISES HEREIN INTENDED TO BE DESCRIBED; RUNNING THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 40 MINUTES EAST, 127 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF PREMISES CONVEYED TO ROBERT D. SMITH, BY DEED DATED JANUARY 19, 1900 AND RECORDED MARCH 12, 1902 AS DOCUMENT NUMBER 85251 IN BOOK 133 OF DEEDS, PAGE 175; THENCE NORTH ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID SMITH'S LOT, 118 FEET AND 5 INCHES, MORE OR LESS, TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SMITH'S LOT; THENCE NORTH 89 1/2 DEGREES WEST 100 FEET TO THE EAST LINE OF SAID ROAD; THENCE SOUTHWESTERLY ALONG THE EAST LINE OF SAID ROAD 120 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, IN LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

TAX NUMBER: 05-03-300-014

COMMONLY KNOWN AS 163 FOREST AVENUE, FOX LAKE, ILLINOIS 60020; and which said Real Estate Mortgage was made by JOSE SANCHEZ AND RHONDA R. SANCHEZ, and recorded in the Office of the Lake County Recorder of Deeds as Document Number 4457245; that summons was duly issued out of the said court against you as provided by law, and that the said suit is now pending.

Now therefore, unless, you the said named Defendants, file your answer to the Complaint in the said suit or otherwise make your appearance therein, in the Office of the Circuit Court of Lake County, located at 18 North County Street, Waukegan, Illinois, on or before the 26 day of January, 2001, default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a Judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of said Complaint.

THIS COMMUNICATION IS FROM A "DEBT COLLECTOR".
(15 USC 1692a)

1200E-3785-FL
December 29, 2000
January 5, 2001
January 12, 2001

PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME

NAME OF BUSINESS: Gopher Enterprises
ORIGINAL DATE FILED: Jan. 28, 1974
Owner's legal name changed or address changed from: Peter S. Wiggins, 8 Catschooner Ln., Grayslake, IL 60030.
To: 7216 Wheaton Ln., Fox Lake, IL 60020, (847) 587-0897.
Business address(es) changed from: 720 Twisted Oak Ln., Buffalo Grove, IL 60090.
To: 7216 Wheaton Ln., Fox Lake, IL 60020, (847) 587-0897.
STATE OF ILLINOIS)
COUNTY OF LAKE)

This is to certify that the above change(es) to the named business have been made effective:
January 1, 2001.
/s/ Peter S. Wiggins

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 15th day of December 2000.

OFFICIAL SEAL
Eleanor A. Petruska
Notary Public
Received: December 15, 2000
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
1200D-3777-FL
December 22, 2000
December 29, 2000
January 1, 2001

PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME APPLICATION

NAME OF BUSINESS: Sundaeszu
NATURE/PURPOSE: Ice Cream Catering Non-Retail
ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 91 White Barn Lane, Gurnee, IL 60031, 847-2071.
NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Bernard Chavers, 91 Whitebarn Lane, Gurnee, IL 60031 (847) 244-2071.
STATE OF ILLINOIS)
COUNTY OF LAKE)

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true or real full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.
/s/ Bernard Chavers
December 19, 2000

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 19th day of December, 2000.

OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Ivette M. Diaz
Notary Public
Received: December 19, 2000
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
1200E-3781-GP
December 29, 2000
January 5, 2001
January 12, 2001

PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME APPLICATION

NAME OF BUSINESS: All Creatures Pet Sitting
NATURE/PURPOSE: Pet Sitting
ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 36429 Grandwood Dr., Gurnee, IL 60031, (847) 356-2196.
NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Kathy L. Karwoski, 36429 Grandwood Dr., Gurnee, IL 60031, (847) 356-2196.
STATE OF ILLINOIS)
COUNTY OF LAKE)

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/s/ Kathy L. Karwoski
December 12, 2000

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 12th day of December, 2000.

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/s/ Dino A. Divenere
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Received: December 14, 2000
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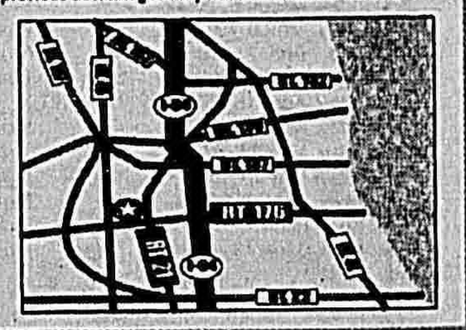
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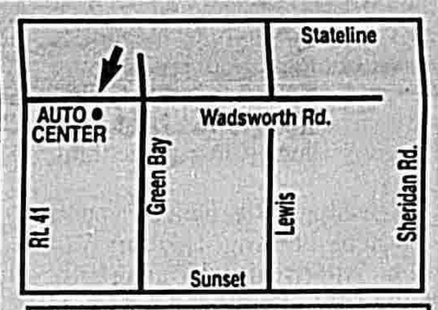
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LAKE COUNTY FOREST PRESERVE DIGEST

Wildlife watercolors: Paintings-Tom Smith

Explore the wilder side of Lake County through a special exhibit of watercolors by local artist Tom Smith. The exhibit, titled "Wildlife Watercolors: Paintings by Tom Smith," is on display at the Lake County Discovery Museum near Wauconda through Jan. 30.

Admission to the exhibit is free with paid general admission to the Lake County Discovery Museum: $5 for adults, and $2.50 for youth ages 4-17. Children age 3 and under are free.

Visitors will also enjoy the Museum's all new, interactive exhibits including the Lake County Mall of History, the Vortex Roller Coaster Theater, and Bringing the World Home. Gallery hours are 11 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Monday through Saturday, and 1-4:30 p.m. on Sunday.

The Lake County Discovery Museum is located in Lakewood Forest Preserve on Rte. 176, just west of Fairfield Rd. near Wauconda. For more information about Wildlife Watercolors or local artist Tom Smith, call the Lake County Discovery Museum at 968-3400.

Snow/cold bring winter fun

The season's snow and low temperatures provide the perfect opportunity to enjoy winter sports and activities in the Lake County Forest Preserves.

Bring your own skates for a twirl on a scenic Forest Preserve pond. Ice-skating is offered at Lakewood near Wauconda and Old School near Libertyville.

Enjoy winter fun for the whole family. Bring your own sled to Forest Preserve sledding hills located at Old School near Libertyville and Lakewood near Wauconda. Please, no metal runners, snowboards or toboggans allowed in the sledding areas.

Ice fishing is the main attraction at 74-acre Sterling Lake in Van Patten Woods near Wadsworth. Sterling Lake offers extended hours for ice fishing Monday through Thursday from 6:30 a.m. to one hour after sunset, and Friday through Sunday from 6:30 a.m.-7 p.m. A 4.5 inch layer of ice is needed for ice fishing.

Bright outdoor lighting and extended hours at Lakewood's winter sports area offer visitors the chance to sled and skate the night away. The Lakewood winter sports area is located on the east side of Fairfield Rd. just south of Rte. 176, near Wauconda. The extended winter hours at Lakewood's winter sports area are from 6:30 a.m.-7 p.m., Monday through Sunday.

Cross-country skiing is one of the most popular winter offerings with 56 miles of trails to explore. Enjoy the scenic quiet of four of the best Forest Preserve spots: Old School near Libertyville; Van Patten Woods near Wadsworth; the southern section of the Des Plaines River Trail; and Ryerson Conservation area near Deerfield. At least 4 inches of snow are required at Ryerson Woods. Many other Forest Preserves also have trails for cross-country skiing.

Again this year, the National Ski Patrol and the Forest Preserves have joined forces to provide services to Forest Preserves along the southern section of the Des Plaines River Trail. The ski patrol promotes safety in skiing. Volunteers are still needed and training is provided. For more information call Jean Weeg, Outdoor Adventures Coordinator, at 968-3332.

A 4 inch layer of snow is all that is needed for snowmobiling. Snowmobile trails are groomed and patrolled by Forest Preserve staff and volunteers. Thirty miles of trails are available for snowmobiling with some Forest Preserve trails tying into other local trail systems. Snowmobilers are especially drawn to the northern section of the Des Plaines River Trail, which stretches 11 miles from Grand Ave. near Gurnee north to Russell Rd. near Wadsworth and connects with Wisconsin trails.

Most Lake County Forest Preserves are open daily from 6:30 a.m. to sunset. Extended hours apply for Lakewood's winter sports area and Van Patten Wood's ice fishing on Sterling Lake. For up-to-date information on snow and ice condition, call the Forest Preserves 24-hour Winter Sports Hotline at 968-3235.

Preserves' Winter residents

Learn what lives around us in winter through observation of the surrounding habitat, footprints and debris at the Lake County Forest Preserves Footprints in the Snow program on Saturday, Jan. 13 from 1:30-3 p.m., at the Almond Marsh Forest Preserve near Gurnee.

Join a Forest Preserve nature guide on this fun-filled tracking program. You will learn about Lake County mammals and discover the signs they leave behind in winter. Investigate scat and tunnels made by some of the smaller animals under the snow, and find out how they keep healthy and warm through hibernation.

Footprints in the Snow is open to adults and families with children 6 years and older. The cost is $4 ($3 for Lake County residents) per person. Registration and prepayment are required.

Almond Marsh Forest Preserve is located on Almond Rd., south of Rte. 120 and north of Casey Rd. For more information or to register, call the Lake County Forest Preserves at 958-3321.

Ladies: explore the outdoors

Here's your chance to learn new skills, get some fresh air and enjoy the camaraderie of other women at Outdoor Women. Join the Lake County Forest Preserves on Saturday, Jan. 13, from 1-5 p.m., at Wright Woods Forest Preserve near Lincolnshire for adventure and fun.

In this non-competitive environment, you can build the outdoor skills you've always wanted. Topics covered include winter hiking, cross-country skiing, tracking and winter wildflowers.

Outdoor Women is open to individuals 16 years and older. The cost is $25 ($20 for Lake County residents) per person. Registration and prepayment are required.

Wright Woods Forest Preserve is located on St. Mary';s Rd. and Everett Rds., south of Townline Rd. (Rte. 60). For more information or to register, call the Lake County Forest Preserves at 968-3321.

Lake County residents favor increased taxes for road improvements

Over 800 Lake County residents were polled regarding their opinions on traffic in the county, and an additional 243 have completed the ongoing Internet survey to provide input on this issue. The Lake County Board commissioned Metro Chicago Information Center (MCIC), a professional research and consulting firm that specializes in providing research for non-profit and government entities, to conduct a study on traffic in Lake County and whether residents would be willing to pay to help address the problem.

Residents were asked to identify things they value about their community and whether certain quality of life issues, such as good public schools, responsive government, limited traffic congestion and protected green space and parklands, were important to them. Of the 802 respondents polled, 80.9 percent said that reduced traffic congestion and driving times are either their top priority or very important to them.

Results of the on line survey are similar to this point, with over 90 percent listing reduced traffic congestion as their number one concern.

According to Lake County Board member and Public Works and Transportation committee chair, Diana O'Kelly, "The Lake County Board has made addressing traffic congestion in the county one of our highest priorities, and rightly so, because the results of the survey indicate that county residents feel the same way."

Nearly one-third of respondents feel that they waste over two hours every week due to traffic congestion. Further, 83.2 percent of those polled believe traffic congestion in Lake County has gotten either much worse or somewhat worse in the last few years.

Nearly 73 percent of respondents replied that they favor increased county government spending to reduce traffic congestion on county roads. Additionally, 93 percent of those answering the on line poll favor increased spending to reduce traffic congestion.

If the Lake County Board were provided the authority to issue a referendum raising taxes to generate money for road improvements, over 60 percent of the residents polled would vote in favor of having their taxes increase to address the traffic problem in the county. Of those responding on line, over 77 percent would vote in favor of a referendum increasing their taxes. The Lake County Board needs the authority of the State of Illinois Legislature to issue a referendum to raise taxes.

When asked about specific taxes that ought to be raised, the majority of respondents favored increasing the sales tax in Lake County by one-quarter percent. A one-quarter percent sales tax would cost an additional 25 cents for every $100 spent in Lake County and generate a projected $15-20 million for projects designed to alleviate congestion on county roads.

The Lake County Board commissioned the research and consulting services of MCIC in August 2000. MCIC began polling residents on Nov. 24, 2000 and completed the study on Dec. 6.

"As a result of residents' interest in the topic, the telephone survey was completed much earlier than expected. The group that conducted the polling did not receive as many hang-ups because people wanted to voice their opinions regarding traffic in Lake County," according to Mark Danaj, director of Lake County Communications.

The web site survey was made available to the public on Dec. 1 and is still accessible on the Lake County web site at www.co.lake.il.us.

Southern Lake County gets new Branch Court

Based on a comprehensive study to determine the ideal location for a new branch court, the Lake County Board's Law and Judicial Committee targeted the geographic area of Mundelein for the site of a new court facility. A new court is needed to expand the county's court system as a result of increased levels of activity at current facilities.

The committee made its recommendation for a general area location at the meeting of the Law and Judicial committee. However, the Lake County Board has foreseen the need for new court facilities for some time. The county board's Capital Improvement Plan, adopted in June 2000, contained money for the establishment of a new branch court in southern Lake County.

According to Law and Judicial Committee chair, Bonnie Thomson Carter, "Our report indicates that a court facility in southern Lake County ought to be located in area convenient to both Vernon and Fremont townships based on their population growth, accessibility of potential sites and the residency of individuals receiving tickets."

Lake County Board member Diana O'Kelly, who represents the Village of Mundelein and Fremont Township, has been working closely with local officials in the area of the proposed site to assure that the proposed location benefits the greatest number of county residents.

Because the south court facility is needed immediately, and funding is already available, the Law and Judicial Committee must move forward with the site selection process as soon as possible. Based on findings from the study, the committee is focused on the area near intersections of Illinois Rte. 60 and 83 and U.S. Rte. 45.

Available properties will be evaluated based on cost to purchase the site, cost to prepare the site for development, adequate acreage for parking, access to highways and public transportation.

The County Administrator's Office, Circuit Court, Circuit Court Clerk, Department of Planning, Building and Development and Division of Transportation worked together to provide the Law and Judicial Committee with the study to determine the best location for the south branch court.

The Lake County Board's Law and Judicial committee oversees matters of the Circuit Court Clerk, Coroner, Sheriff, State's Attorney, Radio Department, Merit Commission, Public Defender and 19th Judicial Circuit Court. For further information about the county board, elected officials, judicial system or county departments, visit the Lake County Web Site at www.co.lake.il.us.

PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME
Addition of Owner(s) to Business

NAME OF BUSINESS: Don Hejda Construction
Original Date Filed April 1989
STATE OF ILLINOIS)
COUNTY OF LAKE)

This is to certify that the person(s) listed below is/are to be added to the list of person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the above named business effective December 12, 2000.
Victoria L. Hejda, 321 Forest Glen, Round Lake Park, IL 60073, (847) 546-4652.
/s/ Victoria L. Hejda

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) intending to conduct the business this 12th day of November, 2000.
OFFICIAL SEAL
Donald J. Hejda
Notary Public
Received: Dec. 18, 2000
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
1200E-3783-RL
December 29, 2000
January 5, 2001
January 12, 2001
January 19, 2001

PUBLIC NOTICE
ANTIOCH COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT 117

The District 117 Board of Education will hold a public hearing on January 18, 2001 at 7:30 p.m. at Allendale School, Grand Avenue and Offield Drive, Lake Villa, Illinois. The purpose of the hearing will be to receive comments on an Application for Waiver or Modification of State Board Rules and/or School Code mandates, specifically, to modify 105 ILCS 5/18-8.05 and 105 ILCS 5/27-6 (b) (1) of the *School Code*, in order to allow the District to have waived the five (5) hour student attendance requirement for 11th grade students on the days of administration of the Prairie State Achievement Exam, April 25 and 26, 2001 and to allow the District to grant waivers from required physical education courses to 11th and 12th grade students who are members of the cheerleading and dance team (pom pon) squads.

Dennis Hockney
Superintendent
January 3, 2001
0100A-3793-AN/LV
January 5, 2001

PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME CERTIFICATE
Withdrawal of Owner(s) or Cancellation

NAME OF BUSINESS: Don Hejda Construction
Original Date Filed April 1989
STATE OF ILLINOIS)
COUNTY OF LAKE)

This is to certify that the person(s) listed below has/have ceased doing business under the assumed name or has/have no further connection or financial interest in said business. Withdrawal shall be effective December 12, 2000.
Donald J. Hejda, 321 Forest Glen, Round Lake Park, IL 60073, (847) 546-4652.
/s/ Donald J. Hejda

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) withdrawing from the business this 12th day of December, 2000.
OFFICIAL SEAL
Mary Decman
Notary Public
Received: Dec. 18, 2000
Willard R. Helander
Lake County Clerk
1200E-3782-RL
December 29, 2000
January 5, 2001
January 12, 2001
January 19, 2001

PUBLIC NOTICE
ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME APPLICATION

NAME OF BUSINESS: M & O
NATURE/PURPOSE: Investments
ADDRESS(ES) WHERE BUSINESS IS TO BE CONDUCTED OR TRANSACTED IN THIS COUNTY: 394 First St., Antioch, 60002, (847) 417-6444.
NAME(S) AND POST OFFICE OR RESIDENCE ADDRESS(ES) OF THE PERSON(S) OWNING, CONDUCTING OR TRANSACTING BUSINESS: Max Ortiz, 394 First St., Antioch, IL 60002, (847) 417-6444.
STATE OF ILLINOIS)
COUNTY OF LAKE)

This is to certify that the undersigned intend(s) to conduct the above named business from the location(s) indicated and that the true or real full name(s) of the person(s) owning, conducting or transacting the business is/are correct as shown.
/s/ Max Ortiz December 22, 2000

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by the person(s) withdrawing from the business this 12th day of December, 2000.
22nd day of December, 2000.
OFFICIAL SEAL
/s/ Martha Jane Gedvilas
Notary Public
Received: Dec. 22, 2000
Willard R. Helander
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January 28, 2001, noon until 3:30pm • Harrison Conference Center
136 Green Bay Road Lake Bluff, IL 60044 • (847) 223-9653
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February 1, 2001, 5:30pm until 8:30pm • Mill Creek Banquets
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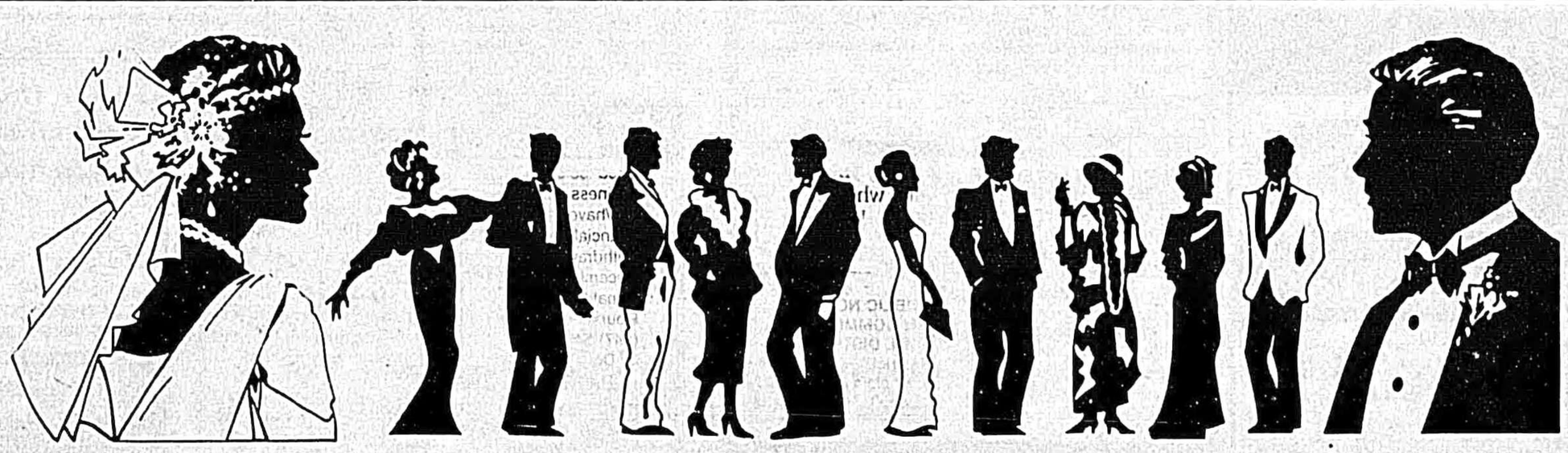
February 4, 2001, 11am until 3pm • Holiday Inn Gurnee
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February 25, 2001, 11am until 3pm • Midlane Country Club
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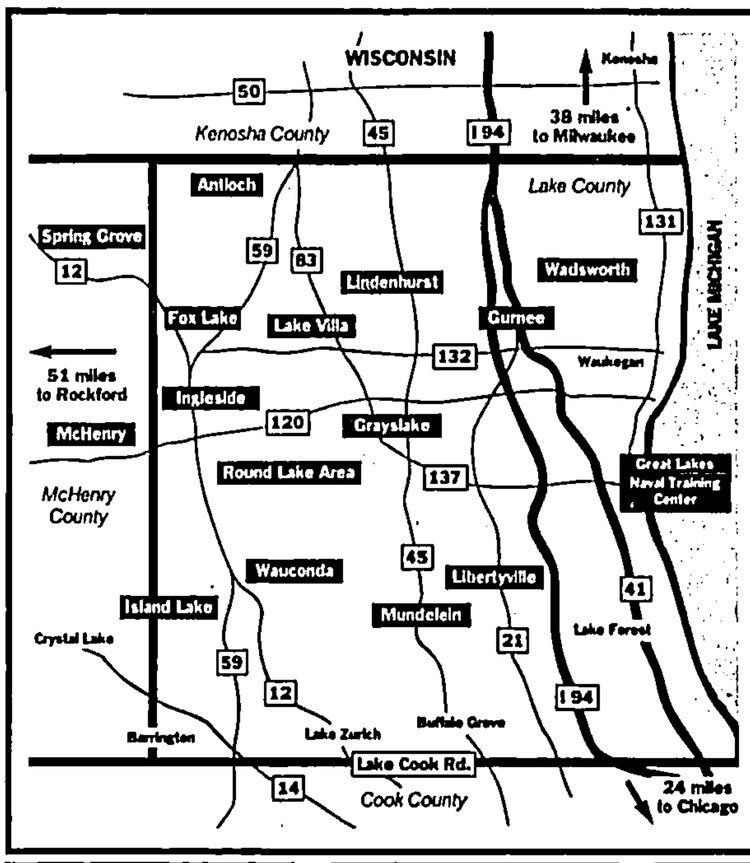
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By Scott T. Fleischmann

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Understanding that these meetings were hindering the accomplishment of my goals was significant. Realizing that I didn't need to attend all of these meetings was even more significant. Here are some basic truths that I discovered about meetings:

- Most meetings are not productive because there is not a specific agenda. I never attend a meeting that does not have a clearly defined purpose and a specific agenda.
- Meetings are the least efficient means to communicate information. I do not attend meetings when the stated purpose is to share information. I can get this information from the meeting minutes or from someone who attended the meeting. In either case it will take a lot less of my time. Sometimes I am asked to attend a meeting to share some information. In those cases I will often write a memo to the leader of the meeting explaining that I can not attend and then write out the information I would have shared if I had attended the meeting. That saves me a lot of time.
- Most meetings run longer than expected. I do not attend meetings that do not have a stated start time and a stated end time. If I attend meetings that are scheduled at specific intervals and the meetings don't start on time, or if they consistently run longer than planned, I stop attending those meetings.

So why would we ever have a meeting? Meetings are an effective method for motivation, for celebration, and for brainstorming when people need to be able to leverage many ideas. A one on one meeting is useful for counseling an coaching. Knowing when to use the various communications tools and how to use those tools is one of the keys to effective communications. This week we discovered how to save time by reducing the meetings in your life. Next week we will explore how to plan and run a successful meeting.

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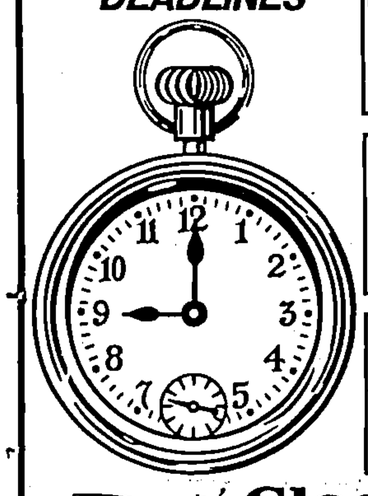
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By Nancy Sakol

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A: Don't panic. First of all, please don't blame the company for the fact that you more than likely never looked at your check stub for the past four months. If you did, I am sure you would have noticed that no state tax was taken out of your salary simply because you should not have to pay Illinois taxes if you don't live in Illinois. Your company should have made you aware of this in some way upon hire. And at very least you should have noticed this long before four months worth of employment. Some companies are registered in both states for the purpose of being able to take the taxes out for their employees in either one. Some companies refrain from the additional paperwork. The fact is that it is something that many people deal with. It sometimes goes with the luxury of like you said, "gives me better job opportunities and salary". There is sometimes a give and take. Don't fret. There are ways to prepare for this. Ask the same people that you overheard telling about this what they do. Perhaps, they can offer you their ideas. Another thought is to ask your boss if it would be possible for them to cut a check each pay period that would be the equivalent to the amount of state tax that you will be responsible for. That way, perhaps they can give you two checks each period. One for your salary with all the appropriate deductions and one for the taxes that they would normally have submitted for you. That way, you can have an account set aside for yourself so that at the end of the year you could have the funds needed. Do not be surprised however if they turn the idea down because of the additional paperwork involved. A great idea however is to get yourself disciplined and do it yourself. Each pay period when you receive your paycheck, look at the total gross amount and multiply it by the Wisconsin state tax percentage, and that will tell you how much you should set aside. Put the money away each week in an interest bearing account. Better yet . . . calculate a higher percentage rate then actually needed for state tax, and at the end of the year, you will be pleasantly surprised to see you have surplus money. Voila . . . you saved. Good luck.

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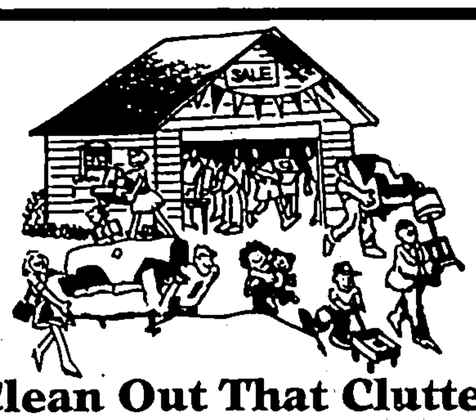
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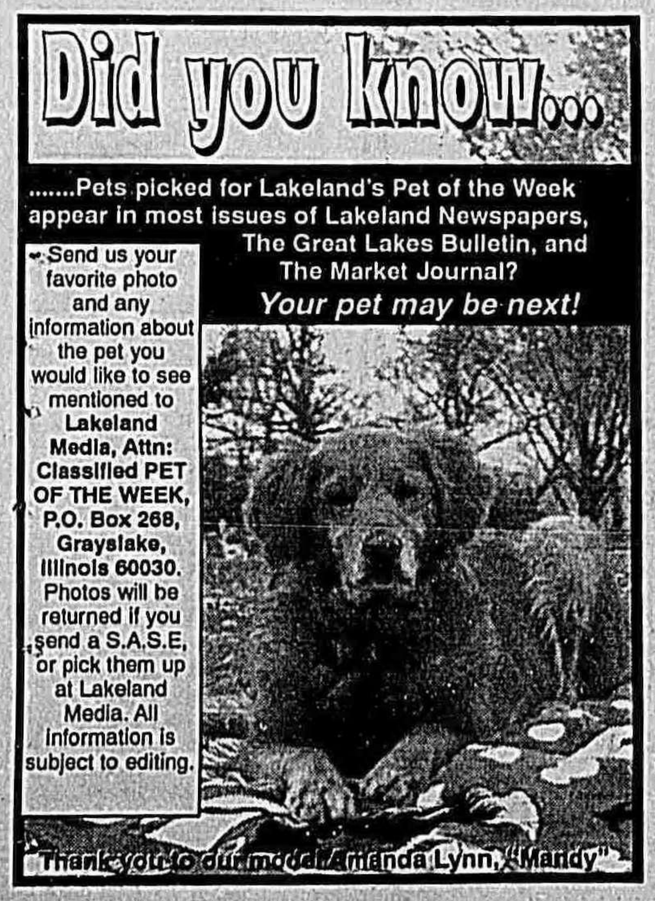
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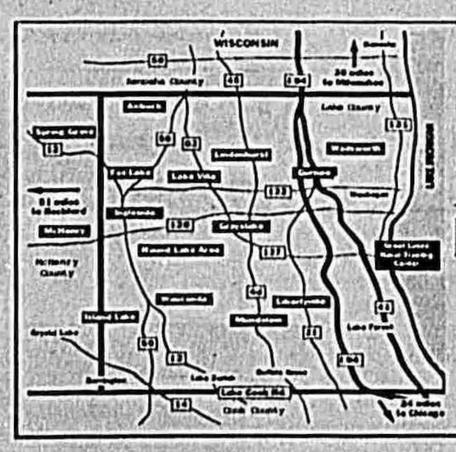
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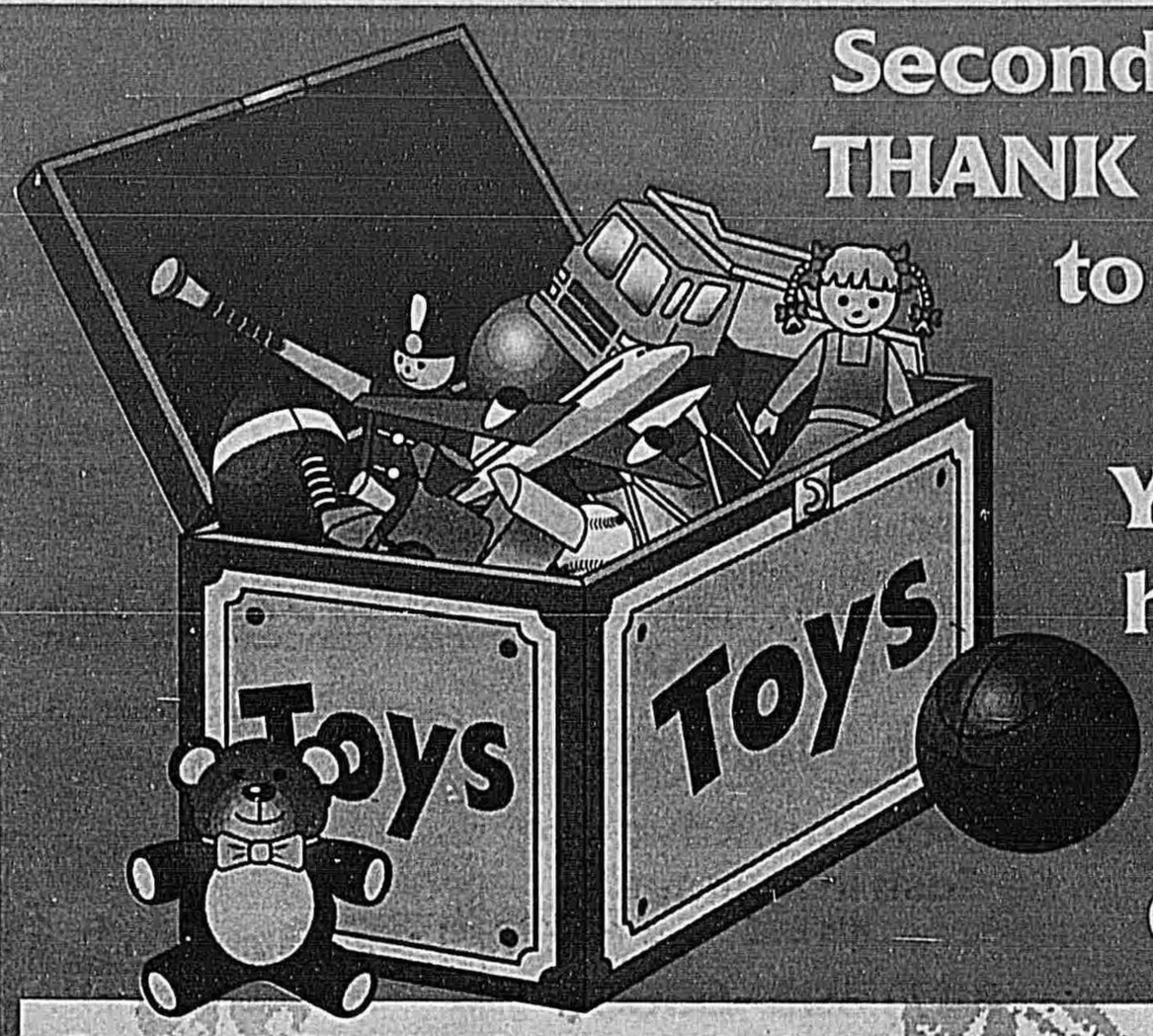
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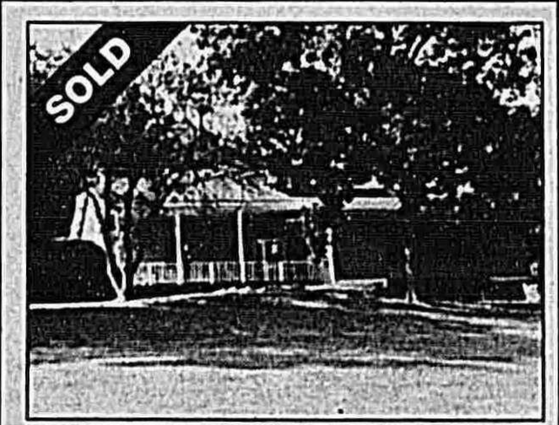
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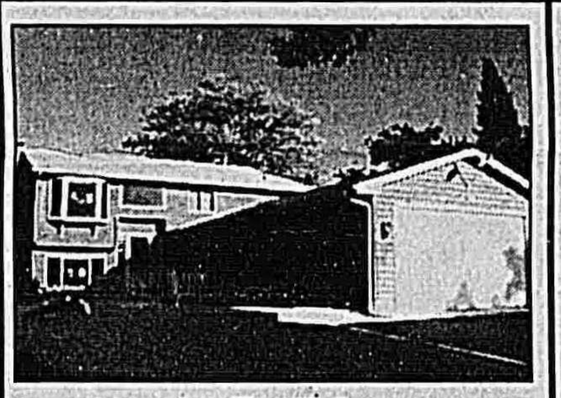
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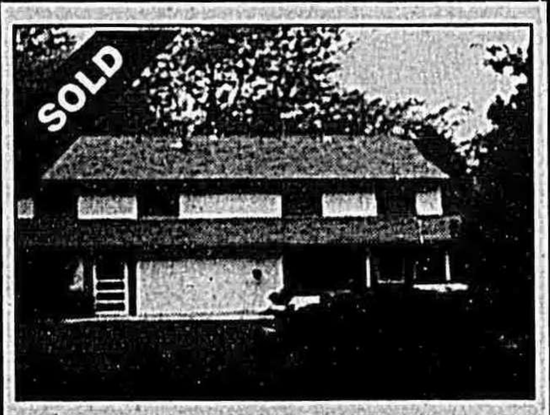
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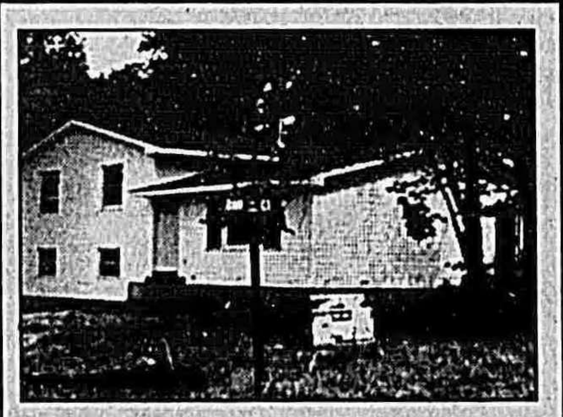
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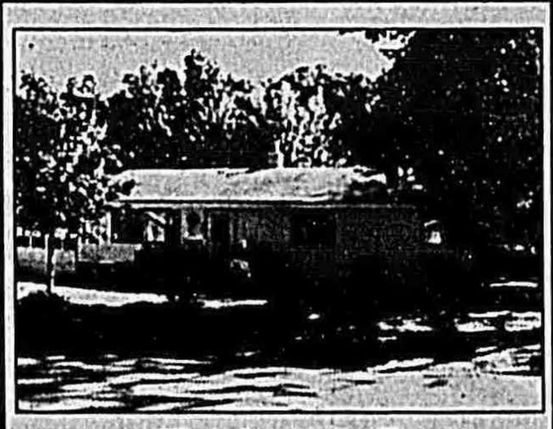
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"People from Illinois have been moving into Kenosha for some time," said Mike Herman, a Realtor® at Keller Williams Realty of Kenosha. "In my experience, they rarely move back. Kenosha is much more than a suburb; it's a separate city with its own unique charm."

Named the "second best city in the nation to raise a family" by Reader's Digest in 1997, Kenosha is the fourth largest city in Wisconsin with a population of 88,000. More than 24,000 residents of Kenosha County, almost one-fifth of the area's labor force, take advantage of close proximity to Interstate-94 and Metra's Union Pacific North Line to commute to Chicago.

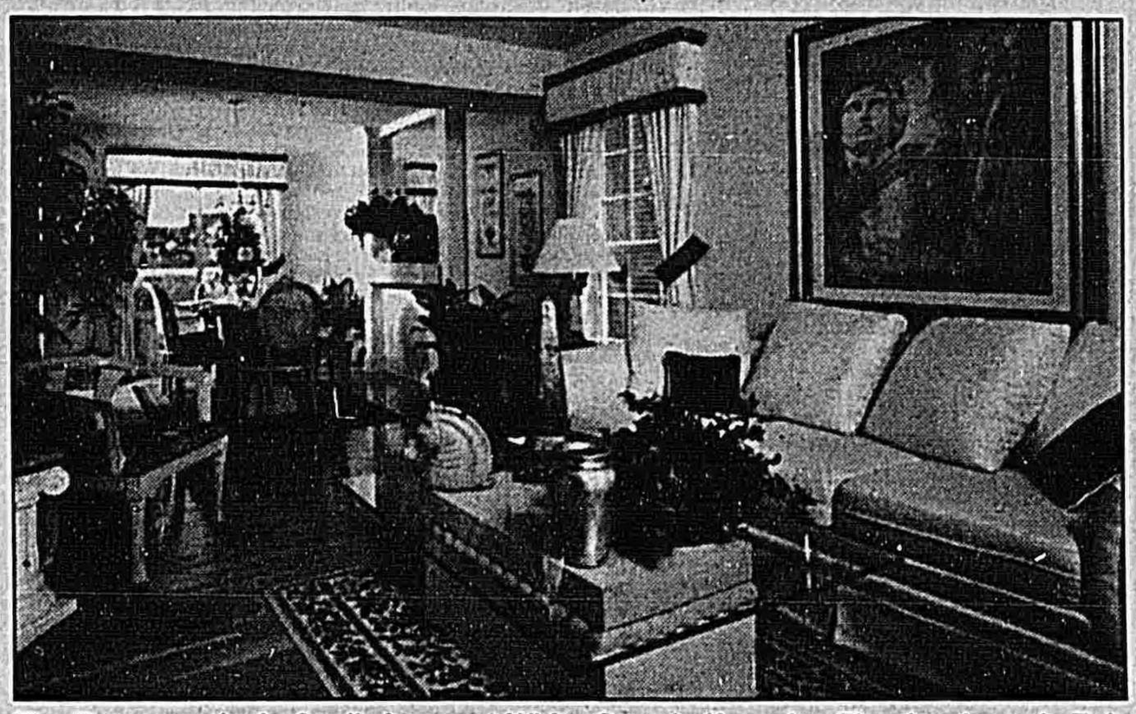
The scenic Lake Michigan setting and numerous recreational possibilities are major attractions for homebuyers who may have little or no access to the Lake in Illinois. More than 80 percent of Kenosha's lakefront is dedicated to public parks and beaches. HarborPark, a redevelopment project, will offer a park, bicycle paths, fishing areas, shops, restaurants, a mile-long waterfront promenade and the Kenosha Public Museum. The project will be completed in 2001.

One of the first developments in Kenosha that attracted a large number of buyers from Illinois was White Caps, a community of 850 single-family homes. "Initially, 95 percent of our buyers at White Caps were Illinois residents," said Leon Joffe, president of Buffalo Grove, based Zale Homes, which is building White Caps.

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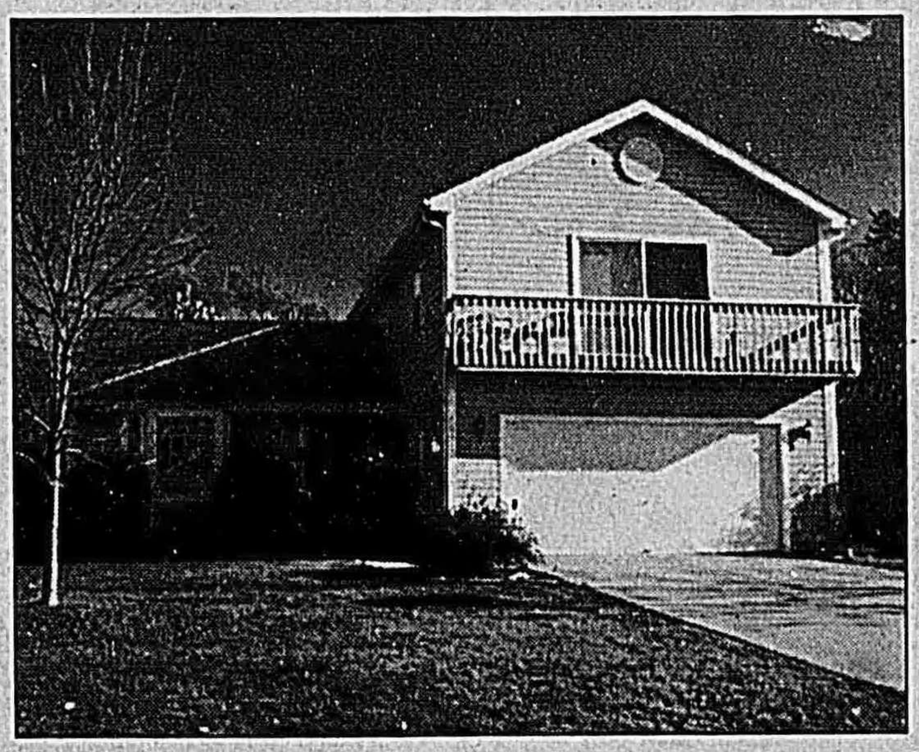


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If you can't close on your house by the end of the year, don't despair. You may get some benefits anyway.

It's an annual ritual. Frantic people scramble through December looking for bargains, checking their bank accounts, and running from place to place. They're not buying presents, though. They're trying to close before December 31 so they can write off their new home for the whole year that just passed.

Unfortunately, by the time most people start thinking about year-end deductions, it's too late to run out and buy a house.

"A lot of people wait until the end of the year to buy a home," said Norm Stein, vice president of lending at Central Illinois Bankcorp in Hillside, Ill. "It offers all of the advantages of deductions you can take on the purchase without the expense of upkeep, insurance, and so on of living there through the whole year. Once you close, your tax picture for the whole year changes, so people really like it."

Sadly, according to Stein, many people wait until too late to start the process and find themselves disappointed that they won't get the tax break this year.

"Every year I'm surprised at the number of people who come into my office in the last weeks of December wanting to buy a house, and there's no way to get everything done in time to close before January. The process just takes too much time. And the time it takes is made even longer by the number of people rushing in at the last minute, so sometimes they don't get to close until the end of January."

To cut down on disappointments, Stein offers some tips on getting your name on the dotted line before the ball drops on New Year's Eve:

• Start early — "Right after Thanksgiving is not too soon," Stein says. "Don't forget that a lot of lending staffs are decimated around the holidays by vacations, so the whole process is naturally going to take a little longer. When you add to that the number of people who are trying to do the same thing you're doing, you may even want to come in around the middle of November, just to be safe."

• Get pre-approved — "I can't overemphasize the importance of pre-approval, because these days it's hard to get anything started without that."

• Be prepared — "You're going to need a lot of paperwork for the final approval," Stein said, "so get it together beforehand. That includes tax records, bank statements, earnings statements — the works."

"There's no doubt that it's a smart way to go," Stein said of buying at the end of the year, "and with some forethought and preparation, you can save a bundle on your taxes with the stroke of a pen."

If you can't get in under the wire, however, don't despair. The coming new year in particular brings some interesting developments that could help almost as much as a year-end purchase.

"A lot of the people who are going to have to wait until January to close are going to get some benefit anyway," says Stein, "and I'm helping them to make the most of it by letting them know what's out there."

So what's out there?

"For one thing," he says, "you have some changes in lending policies that are bringing down the costs of buying a home."

The first change is a shift in the upper limit of a Fannie Mae single family mortgage.

"Jumbo loans have traditionally started with prices of $252,700," Stein says. "Now that number is going up, so a Jumbo starts at $275,000. Since Jumbos are usually higher interest rates, that means that you can now get a larger loan and stay in the lower interest rates."

The change will mean big savings for first-time homebuyers over the life of a 30-year mortgage, just by waiting one day.

Another change is in the FHA insurance premiums required on private mortgage insurance (PMI).

"As of January 1," Stein said, "rates will drop from 2 1/4 percent of the loan amount to 1 1/2 percent, so buyers who close next year will save money on PMI premiums."

Finally, Stein said, homebuyers will benefit from a continuing downward trend in interest rates sparked by the recent economic slowdown.

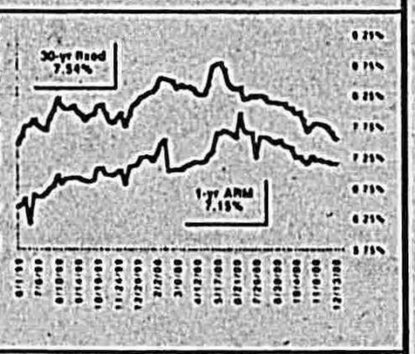
"Something they may want to do if they're thinking of refinancing is to apply early and float the rate. When we get a refinance boom when rates drop, so many people apply that they have a hard time getting into the lender of their choice. When you apply early, you're in a position to lock at a moment's notice without having to wait to get it done."

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Winter often best time for home additions

For most Lake Countians, winter plans often include vacations or a general inclination to "cocoon."

But savvy homeowners know that the period from December to March also is ideal for additions and remodeling. Lower prices, shorter waits, better crews and improved service all number among the benefits of winter construction.

"The smartest consumers buy construction during the wintertime," said Michael Klein, president of Airoom Architects & Builders, a Lincolnwood-based company that specializes in home additions, kitchens and custom homes and has been building during the winter from 43 years. "Contrary to what many people might expect, winter does not impede the construction process or create problems for homeowners pursuing remodeling or addition projects."

According to Klein, one clear advantage to building during the winter is that supply far exceeds demand, so construction prices for homeowners can be four to eight percent lower than during the spring and summer. That favorable slant of the supply/demand dynamic also means faster delivery times from material suppliers. "They're less busy during the winter," he said. "And contractors have their pick of the best crews."

When it comes to home additions, winter building presents other benefits for homeowners, he said. One big plus is that crews don't interfere with outdoor family activities. "During the winter, crews are in the yard when the homeowners are not."

And ironically, winter weather is more manageable for builders than the heat and downpours they face during the spring and summer.

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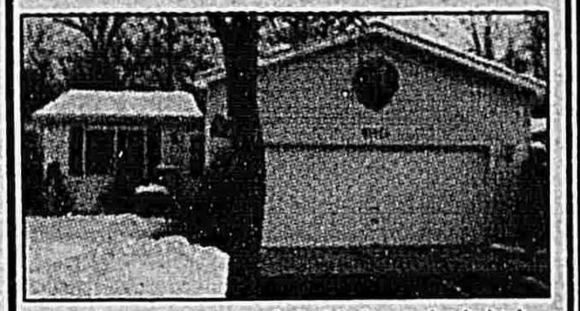
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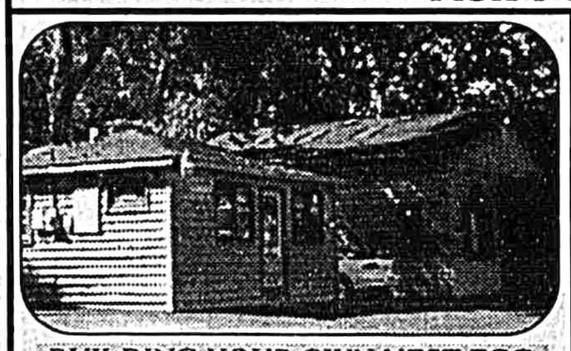
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746 Tiffany Ct, Luis J & Diane L Perez, $118,000
26248 W Marie, Tiffany Carter & Keith Brosch, $83,000
Fox Lake
7107 Balboa #273b, Helen J Prosperi, $75,000
172 Eagle Point Rd, Brian J & Debra J Mcgrath, $230,000
176 Riverside Island Dr, Fnma , $108,000
7204 Wheaton Ln #344m, James & Wilene Rahn, $145,000
Grayslake
1136 Goldenrod Ln, Michael J Engebose & Ann M Nelson, $343,346
643 Lincoln Av, Peter D Bauschke, $163,500
447 N Lake St, Thomas M Berent, $158,000
190 Westerfield, John & Mary Klees, $182,000
Gurnee
36399 N Steamwood, Adam Derosa, $139,500
33927 N Summerfield Dr, James B Silha & Kimberly E Rice, $326,744
125 S O Plaine Rd, Mark & Catherine Romasanta, $143,000
5673 Steeple Pointe Blvd, Sherman L Moore, $324,135
1149 Sumner Circle, Todd C Dovid, $238,500
5660 Trinity Ct, Michael Casey, $273,845
17440 W Westwind Dr, Craig & Elizabeth H Mann, $255,000
Hainesville
603 Holiday Ln, Sally J Rothbart, $159,626
Ingleside
26035 Rollins Rd, Michael E Jablonski, $129,000
Lake Villa
707 Benton Ct, Paul Burns, $169,587
Libertyville
761 A Garfield Av, Virginia F Roi, $98,000
124-f E Winchester Rd, Amie M Meyer, $104,500
540 Old Hickory Ln, Michael S Hall, $270,000
1013 Springhaven Dr, Robert W Ahern, $426,000
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222 Jasmine Cir, Chang Soo Kim, $160,794
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2193 Red Oak Dr, Tony Zizzo & Jennifer M Wallner, $203,534
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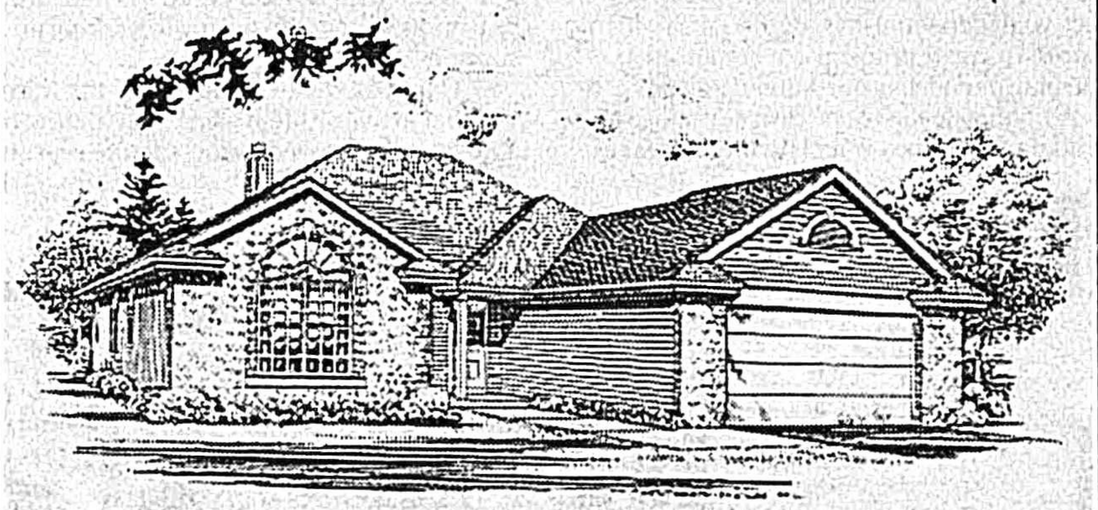


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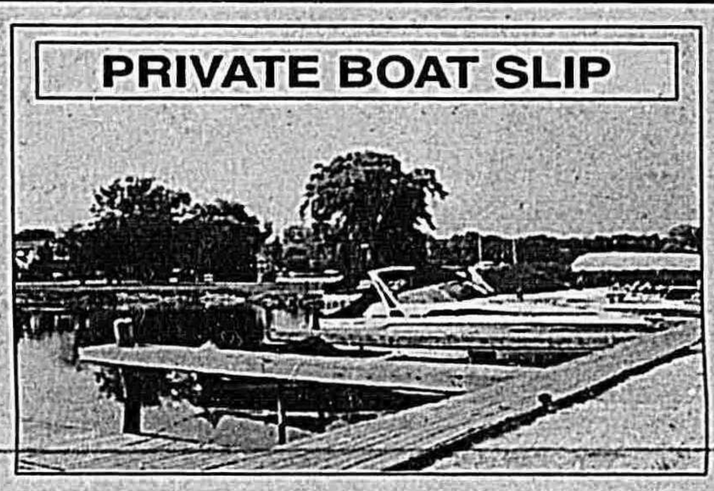


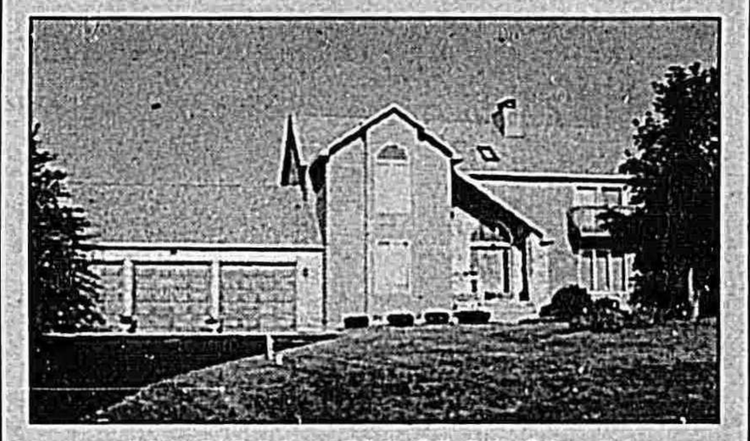
WOODS & WATER

Enjoy the waterfront without the price tag. This charming home has just been updated. 4 large bedrooms & 3 baths. Wood floor & quarry tile, 2 fireplaces and basement. Pistakee Bay views. Approx. 2800 sq. ft.

$335,000

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NAUTICAL NEIGHBORHOOD!

Spacious approx. 4200 sq. ft. 5 BRs, 3.5 BAs. Hardwood floors, 3 fireplaces, master suite w/jacuzzi bath. Gourmet kitchen w/granite counters. Finished walkout w/oak wet bar. Privately-owned boat slip included with Chain access.

$324,900

Johnsburg *Call Wayne*



2 ACRES UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Quality built, 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch in Johnsburg. Full basement, 3 car garage. Low traffic, 2 acre parcel.

$239,900

Johnsburg *Call Wayne*



INVESTORS LUCKY FIND!

Brand new 12-unit under construction in the town of McHenry. All brick exterior. Great location close to Rt. 31. Call for more details.

$975,000

McHenry *Call Wayne*

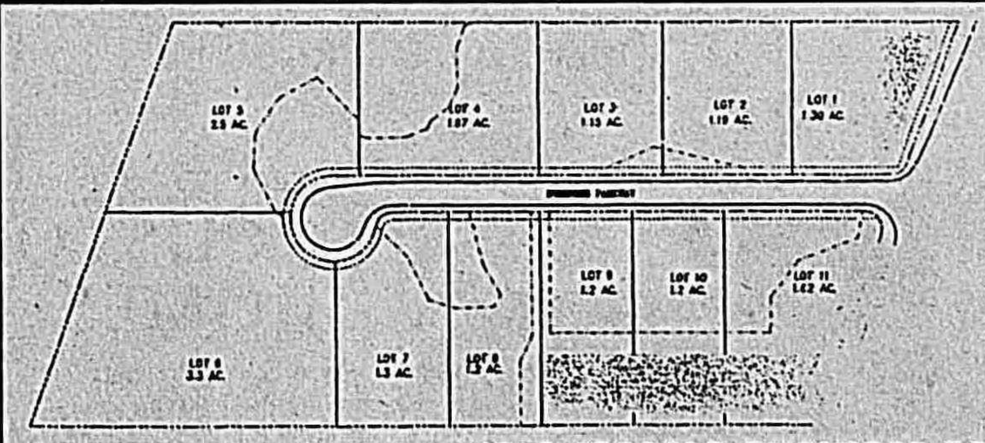


A BIG YARD WITH TREES!

4 bedrooms, 1.5 bath. Just remodeled and ready for you! Almost 1/2 acre lot w/lots of trees. 2 car garage close to state park.

$149,900

McHenry *Call Wayne*



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McHenry Area *Call Wayne*

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MERIT CLUB ESTATE

Beautiful new estate home on 1+ acre. Walkout lower level, patio and spacious deck with panoramic view of golf course. 2-story bayed living room. Custom hardwood paneled library. 1st floor master suite fit for royalty. Inlaid hardwood floors, trayed ceilings, granite & marble. Huge gourmet kitchen has bayed eating area. Spectacular! $1,160,000.

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DO YOU ENJOY READING?

Then this home is for you . . . True library w/built-in bookcases & hardwood floor. Dramatic double bridal staircase! Pillars define the rich family room with built-ins, wet bar w/granite top, marble F/P, custom millwork ceiling & hardwood floor. Gourmet kitchen with Plato cabinets, corian tops and Viking & Sub-Zero appliances. 4 Fireplaces! 4 car garage. In Wadsworth's Hunt Club Farms. Loaded! $729,000

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CONTEMPORARY COUNTRY ESTATE

Turret Foyer opens to spacious vaulted rooms. White European Kitchen w/adjoining Sun Room. Pool & Cabana. Media Room, 1st Floor Master Suite. Skylights. Screened Porch, Decks, 5 Bedrooms, 4 1/2 Acres. Horses OK. Hunt Club Farms (Gurnee/Wadsworth Area) $1,075,000

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RESTAURANT BUILDING

Handsome building with good location in growing Grayslake area. Large open dining area. Seats 145 people. Great parking lot! All equipment is negotiable. Other uses possible. $499,999.

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LUXURIOUS RANCH

Spacious 4 Bdrm Home in Wadsworth's Hunt Club Farms on 2.95 Acres with southern exposure overlooking the bridle trails. Vaulted Ceilings. Gorgeous master bdrm suite. Open Floor Plan with Cathedral Fam. Rm. Hardwood Floors, 3 car garage. Country estate living. Breathtaking! $779,000

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EXQUISITE TUDOR

Extensively landscaped 2.4 acres in Wadworth's Hunt Club Farms. A multitude of windows offers beautiful views! Family room has oak floor, wet bar fireplace, built-in entertainment unit and french doors to tiered deck. Professionally decorated. Spacious kitchen + butler pantry. 1st floor study, $754,900.

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4 BEDROOM COLONIAL

This Wadsworth home has a 3 car garage, full basement and 3 full baths. The family room has cathedral ceiling and fireplace. Enjoy the backyard with your screened-in porch and deck! Located in Midlane Estates. Gurnee school district! 1st floor utility. A lot of home for the money! $224,900.

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GURNEE END UNIT!

Beautiful 2 bedroom condo in Stonebrook. Vaulted ceiling in living room. Marble fireplace. Two full baths. 2 car garage. Master bedroom has walk-in closet. Close to shopping & tollway. $139,900.

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MOVE-IN CONDITION!

Everything is perfect in this 4 bedroom Grayslake home in Chesapeake Farms. Beautiful neutral decorating. Shows like a model! Master has cathedral ceiling. Pergo floors, marble fireplace. French doors to flagstone patio. Must see! $229,900.

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NO MAINTENANCE!

3 Bedroom Home with 2 1/2 baths. Full finished basement, 2 car garage & deck. New Pergo floors in kitchen & dining room. Association takes care of snow, lawn, trash, pool & rec center! Lovely Gurnee neighborhood conveniently located. Great lot! $164,900

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LIBERTYVILLE TRI-LEVEL

3 bedroom tri-level with newer carpeting & freshly painted. Nice size yard. 2 car garage. Family room & utility room in lower level. Close to park & schools. Libertyville schools! Great neighborhood. $259,000

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3 BEDROOM TOWNHOME

Beautifully decorated end unit loaded with quality upgrades! Two decks to appreciate nature in this wooded area. Master suite has cathedral ceiling & whirlpool. In Round Lake's Treehouse in the Woods. Only 2 years old! Family room with fireplace. 2 car garage. Oak kitchen. Sharp! $169,900

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WADSWORTH HOMESITES

Acre+ homesites in beautiful Jonathan Knolls. Area of custom homes with rolling hills conveniently located near major highways. $85,000-$95,900

3/4 acre in country neighborhood with Gurnee schools. High sloping lot with trees. $64,900

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ESTATE HOMESITES

2+ Acre Homesites in Wadsworth's prestigious Hunt Club Farms. Conveniently located to major highways & shopping. Country estate living. Over 10 miles of bridle trails, private lake, pasture. Some equestrian lots available. Builders available to build to suit. Build your dream house! $99,000-$285,000

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CUSTOM HOMESITES

Wooded lot with western exposure in Lindenhurst's Emerald Ridge. Custom home area with winding tree-lined streets. $89,500. HEAVILY WOODED Long Grove homesite near Twin Orchard Country Club. 3 acre site. Surrounding area being developed with custom homes. Beautiful lot in fabulous area! $269,900.

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GURNEE PRIME ACREAGE

10.6 acres with city water/sewer to site. Residential zoning. Multi-family or single family subdividing possible. 4.2 units/acre max. $650,000

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